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READY TO BATTLE UNTIL A DECISION IS REACHED

(By MAX BALPHASER)
(By United Press.)

Moanna Springs, Nevada, July 2.—While very few students of form expect the Jeffries-Johnson fight to go 45 rounds may have begun to figure on the possibility of what might happen if the battle goes the full limit with no choice between the fighters. Jeffries, it has been asserted can go the Marathon route with ease. The same claim is made with Johnson.

But if they go 45 rounds without either having a sufficient advantage upon which to base a verdict, will Jeffries stand for a draw after all the clamor about the *restortion of* the heavyweight crown of the white race.

On behalf of Johnson, Tom Flannigan, the black man's manager, stated today that if the fight goes the prescribed limit without a decision, Johnson will be willing to go as far as is necessary to arrive at a verdict.

"*If at* the end of 45 rounds," said Flannigan today, "the referee is unable to decide, then we will be ready to proceed the following afternoon 20 or even 130 or more rounds to decide which of the two is a better man. Johnson will fight until he or Jeffries is knocked out."

In the Jeffries camp this question is scoffed because everybody connected with the big fellow is confident Johnson will be laid out in 20 rounds or less.

According to Roger Cornell, Jack's trainer, Jeffries has been boxing secretly for a couple of weeks and is not open to criticism for too little boxing. The majority of sporting men, newspaper correspondents, and fight fans here think Jeff will beat Johnson to the ground by sheer brute strength.

(By Associated Press.)

Reno, Nevada, July 2.—Betting on the Jeffries-Johnson fight improved here. At Tom Corbett's it was announced that fifteen thousand dollars were placed on Jeffries yesterday at 10 to 6. With two exceptions the amounts were under two thousand dollars.

Jim Corbett has five thousand dollars at his brother's place to bet on Jeffries.

Betting commissioners expect large amounts of money will be placed today and tomorrow.

Tex Rickard said he would turn over to big Tim Sullivan the remaining fifty-one thousand dollars of the purse sometime today. Rickards now believes the profits from the battle will amount to one hundred thousand dollars. The arena will be completed tomorrow. Celebraties continue to arrive on every train.

(By United Press.)

Washington, July 2.—In sections of the south where the race question is a vital issue and in many cities along the border line the Jeffries-Johnson fight has taken on an aspect of the utmost seriousness and apprehension is felt as to the result if the negro wins the battle.

What Four Champions And Governor Say About The Great Fighters

By JOHNNY COULON.
Bantamweight.

Chicago, July 2.—It will be a great fight, but I believe that Jeffries will in time wear Johnson down and then knock him out. I look for a long battle, as neither man is a quick finisher.

By ABE ATTELL.
Featherweight.

Los Angeles, July 2.—It will be a long-drawn-out battle, but Johnson will win. Jeff will tire from his own work, like John L. did against Corbett. Johnson is the cleverest big man we ever had, and Jeff will have hard work landing.

By AD WOLGAST.
Lightweight.

Reno, Nevada, July 2.—I am sure Jeffries will win. My manager, Tom Jones, and myself are betting all the money we have that Johnson will go down. We have a lot more to bet at 10 to 6 on Jim. A pipe for him.

By STANLEY KETCHEL
Middleweight.

San Francisco, July 2.—I don't believe that Jeff can come back enough to beat Johnson. That big negro is a marvel. He is by far the best Jeff ever faced. I look for a long fight.

Reno, Nevada, July 2.—Governor Dickerson today compared Jeffries and Johnson after having seen both men in action. He said:

"Jack Johnson, in my opinion, is a faster man than Jim Jeffries, but I don't think there is the power behind his blows that lies behind Jeffries' punch. He is cleverer than Jeffries apparently, and I think his defense is harder to penetrate than that *of the former champion.*

"It is safe to say, I think, that Johnson will hit Jeffries more times that Jeffries will hit him, but his blows will not have the same telling effect. I would not care to venture a definite opinion about the result of the fight, because I really know nothing of these contests. The only ring contest that I ever witnessed was the fight between Joe Gans and Jimmy Britt at San Francisco three years ago. Jeffries is a much more rugged man than Johnson and does not as nearly rep*resent the type of expert boxer.*"

THE FOURTH IN DREAM AND REALITY

Conferred On Wages

(By United Press.)

Washington, July 2.—Both sides to the dispute on the outcome of which depends peace or war between the railroads of the southeastern states and their employes held conferences with Mediators Neill and Knapp today and as a result there is this afternoon hope of a successful outcome.

Is Given Pardon

(By United Press.)

Columbus, O., July 2.—Thomas C. Jones, serving a life sentence from *Wood county for murder in* the second degree, received a holiday pardon from Governor Harmon today. Jones has been in charge of the prison flower garden since he was received at the prison in 1896.

Aviators Ready

(By United Press.)

Paris, France, July 2.—With most of the *world's famous aviators entered,* the Raigus aviation meet will begin tomorrow. There will be nine days of flying and many records are expected to be broken.

Watterson Is Held

(By Associated Press.)

Kinston, N. Y., July 2.—Ewing Watterson, son of Col. Henry Watterson, noted Kentucky editor, who shot and wounded Michael Martin, a saloonkeeper at Saugerties yesterday, was arraigned today on a charge of assault in the first degree. Application for bail was refused and the prisoner committed to jail for further examination next Tuesday. Martin's condition is not serious.

Twin Babies Are Born

Twins were born to Frank Johnson, a Dry Run painter and wife Friday night. One is a boy and the other a girl and are reported doing nicely.

Prays Against Jeff, Is Chased By Mob

(By United Press.)

Minneapolis, Minn., July 2.—"Oh Lord, come down with thy mighty aim and swat Jim Jeffries one on the jaw when he goes into the ring on July 4th.

"Oh Lord, humiliate this man who would disgrace civilization—this minister's son who spends his time breaking other men's faces in addition to running a drunk factory—so that he will turn away from his notorious ways and become converted unto the Lord."

An itinerant preacher who launched the foregoing prayer last night on a Minneapolis street corner is today seeking a spot where he can conclude it unmolested.

A riot was narrowly averted when a passerby forcibly pushed him off a corner last evening, and rocks and eggs were thrown at the man. The preacher sought Patrolmen Einer Jonassen and declared that he would yet finish the prayer.

"Not on my beat," explained the officer.

NEW YORK SWELTERING FROM THE HEAT WAVE

(By United Press.)

New York, July 2.—Following a sweltering night during which the mercury registered 85 and the percentage of humidity was highest for the summer, New York awoke gasping today, with no prospect for immediate change.

Five deaths from heat and innumerable serious prostrations are reported early today. The parks roofs, fire escapes and beaches were used all night by thousands who tried to get refreshing sleep.

It is estimated that 50,000 persons slept on the sands at Coney Island. Thousands left the city to take advantage of the three days' holiday.

Teddy Says Is Not Wooing Insurgents

(By Associated Press.)

Oyster Bay, July 2.—Roosevelt expected to hold an important conference this afternoon with three western insurgents. Their names are withheld.

The colonel was painstaking in his informal chats not meant for direct quotation to indicate that he was not wooing the insurgency. The insurgents come to him; he does not summon them.

Governor Hughes had asked him for an expression of opinion on the direct primaries and he did not attempt to dictate to any one.

Oyster Bay, July 2.—Senator Bristow and Representative Madison and Victor Murdock, all insurgents of Kansas, arrived here at noon for a conference with Roosevelt.

Tolstoy Is Ill

(By United Press.)

Moscow, Russia, July 2.—Count Leo Tolstoy is again ill and his condition causes alarm.

Sidney Heer, formerly of Portsmouth, is in Portsmouth over the Fourth.

Brownlow Is Dying

(By Associated Press.)

Nashville, Tenn., July 2.—Congressman Brownlow, of the First congressional district of Tennessee, is reported dying.

WILL FLY TO NORTH POLE

(By Associated Press.)

Kiel, Germany, July 2.—The Mainz, *bearing Prince Henry and* entire complement of the Zeppelin party to arrange preliminaries for a north pole balloon expedition, sailed for Spitzbergen today.

Ten Dead Of Heat

(By United Press.)

Chicago, July 2.—Ten deaths were reported as a result of the heat today, making a total number of victims since the heat wave began more than 60.

Ballinger To Quit?

(By United Press.)

Washington, July 2.—Rumors of the resignation of Secretary Ballinger were revived here today following the political development in which Taft, Roosevelt and Hughes have played such prominent parts and the expectation that Roosevelt will support Gifford Pinchot. From reports he told Taft that he would *do so and this has aroused* intense interest here.

3 Die In Flames

(By Associated Press.)

St. Louis, July 2. Capt. Michael J. Lyons, of the fire department, was killed and three other firemen and workmen injured in a fire which destroyed part of the Waters-Pierce Oil company's store house here. The loss is $200,000.

Mrs. Sarah J. Powell continues ill at the home of her son, C. S. Freeman of North Gay street.

DENMAN DUCKS ON JOE BISHOP CASE

(By United Press.)

Columbus, O., July 2.—Governor Harmon himself must determine the eligibility of Joseph Bishop to serve as secretary of the state arbitration board.

In an opinion to the governor today the attorney general states that the whole question of Bishop's eligibility hinges on the proposition as to whether he was an employe on April 12, 1893, when he *was appointed to* the board by Governor McKinley.

Following the rendering of the opinion, Bishop wrote the governor that he was traveling salesman of an iron firm on the day he was appointed.

Teddy Has Punctured This Boom

(By United Press.)

Utica, N. Y., July 2.—The boom designed to make Colonel Roosevelt the Republican candidate for governor of New York in the fall election, launched two weeks ago by the Utica Republican club, came to an abrupt end today upon the receipt by the club of a letter from Roosevelt asking it to cease its agitation in that direction, thanking the club members, but saying:

"It would be an absolute impossibility for me to accept the nomination."

Cloice Freeman went to Rarden Saturday afternoon to visit friends and relatives over the Fourth.

Dr. Arthur Warrener and wife left Saturday to spend the Fourth at Gallipolis.

Allen O. Myers Died Saturday

(By United Press.)

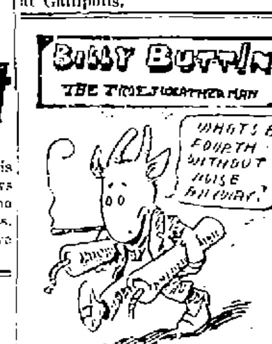
Toledo, O., July 2.—Allen O. Myers, one of the best known political writers in Ohio, and for years a practical politician, died at his home in Trilby today. His death was due to cerebral hemorrhage, brought on by a stroke of paralysis three weeks ago.

He was for years connected with the Cincinnati Enquirer, writing political articles over the signature of "Pickaway."

Taft To Enjoy Ten Days Rest

(By Associated Press.)

Beverly, July 2.—Taft played golf this morning with his brother, Henry W. Taft, of New York. After the celebration of a sane and safe Fourth of July, a great silence is to fall over Beverly. For 10 days no one is to be permitted to see the president on any pretext business. He will golf, motor, sail and have 10 days full of enjoyment.



Now for some noise. There's nothin' that I know of that quite comes up to th' Fourth o' July in th' way of a racket. How's that? Don't I like it? Sure I like it. Ever know me to come up missin' when there was any noise around. I'll be right on th' job Monday. Here's a noise that sounds like th' weather for tomorrow:

Ohio—Partly cloudy with showers in South portion tonight or Sunday. Slightly cooler in North portion Sunday.

Indiana and West Va.—Showers tonight or Sunday.

Amateur Air Ship Falls

(By United Press.)

N—, O., July 2.—Mike Patton, of Lewiston, was injured this afternoon when an aeroplane, on the construction of which he has been at work for two years, fell while he was making a flight near Barberton. The engine stopped while the machine was 30 feet in the air.

6 Die In Race Riot

(By United Press.)

Mendenhall, Miss., July 2.—The race riots started yesterday were renewed with renewed violence today. Six negroes have been killed and the mob is looking for more.

PRIZE FIGHT RETURNS

Realizing the interest in the big prize fight at Reno, Nevada, Monday afternoon, July 4th, The Times has made special arrangements to secure quick and complete returns of the event.

As there will be no regular issue of The Times Monday, arrangements have been made with Manager P. J. L. Haubert, of the Weichens cigar store, 507 Chillicothe street, facing the Gallia esplanade, by which the fight returns will be made public at his store.

The fight will be received by rounds and quick and accurate service is guaranteed. As soon as a round is received it will be announced by megaphone *from the* cigar store and the round then posted in the window of the store.

The fight is scheduled to begin at 1:30 Pacific Coast time which would make 3:30 our time, but it will likely be a little later than that when the fight starts and returns are not expected to come *until after 4 o'clock.*

Those interested in the outcome of the fight are invited to gather about the Weichen's cigar store and get the news with the compliments of The Times.

Commission Named By Governor Harmon

(By United Press)

Columbus, O., July 2.—Governor Harmon today appointed a commission to investigate the subject of employers liability as authorized by the last legislature. The appointees are:

William J. Rohr, Democrat, Cincinnati, a printer.

William Winans, Democrat, Galion, railroad conductor.

J. P. Smight, Republican, Cleveland, master horse shoer.

G. W. Perks, Springfield, Supt. American Seeding Maching Co.

J. Herrington Boyd of Toledo, an attorney.

Rohr and Wians represent labor and Boyd the attorney.

JOHNSON'S CAMP AS OUR ARTIST SEES IT.

James Is Only 99

James N. Jester was 99 years old Friday and celebrated the birthday with a family reunion at the home 1412 Franklin avenue. Mr. Jester is hale and hearty and looks but a few years over 60. He attributes his almost perfect health to systematic and temperate living.

Special Holiday Matinee at the Casino, July 4th. "Facing the Music."

Woman Candidate For Governor

MRS. MARILLA RICKER

Dover, N. H., July 2.—That Mrs. Marilla M. Ricker of this city firmly intends to be the next Governor of her home state is now shown beyond doubt in the filing of a formal application with the Secretary of State accompanied by a check for $100, which is necessary to enter her name as a candidate under the new State primary law to be tried for the first time this fall. The check was forwarded through her local attorney. It is to be followed by a declaration of her platform. She is a Republican and has offered a Republican ballot at each election since 1871. She is a lawyer.

Gets License To Marry

Judge Beatty was kept busy Saturday morning issuing marriage licenses. Six were issued, five of which were made public.

Ralph Stead Izard, aged 35, an N. & W. conductor, 167 East Ninth street and Mrs. Lelia Allison Johnson, aged 38, city. The records did not show who was to officiate.

Ellis G. Monk, aged 22, a shoe worker, of 127 East Front street and Miss Amanda Hamilton, aged 18, a shoe worker, of 156 East Front street. Rev. Meacham to officate.

Vincent Holt, aged 28, a steel worker, of Kendall avenue, city and Miss Laura Sparks, aged 18, of 723 New Sixth street. Squire Hall to officiate.

William Henry Hilliard, aged 20, a shoe worker of Lucasville and Miss Susie Vickers, aged 20, city. Rev. Dillon to officiate.

John Johnson, aged 20, a brick yard employee, of Gallia street, city, and Miss Juerl Smith, aged 16, a shoe worker, of East Eighth street. Rev. Myers to officiate.

DESERTED WIFE ORDERED TO MOVE

Cal Little, who deserted his family consisting of wife and six young children, two weeks ago, has not as yet been heard from. A letter from his father at Connersville, Ind., states that the missing man was reported to be working somewhere near Cincinnati.

Notice has been served on the deserted family to vacate their Court street home next week. Mrs. Little has been sick all week and the family is certainly in sad circumstances.

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Well Known Daughters of Famous Men

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OCTAVE THANET.

Octave Thanet is the pen name by which Miss Alice French, a brilliant American novelist, is known to a wide circle of readers. Andover, Mass. was her birthplace and she was educated at the famous Abbott Academy there, though her residence at the beginning of the period was Davenport, Iowa, to which place her father had gone because of failing health—a man of education and keenly appreciative of literature and art.

Mr. French was descended from William French, a Colonial legislator and Indian fighter. On her maternal grandmother's side Miss French was descended from the Endicotts, the Richardsons, the Danforths and other historic families of New England.

In her early days Miss French's intellectual adventures drew her into economics and philosophy and she became a blue stocking. But the magazine editors to whom she submitted her work returned it, so she turned her attention after polite admonitions to stories which reflected something of her naturally sunny disposition and keen insight into human nature. they began to take notice of her talents. Little wonder then that when asked "Who are your heroes in real life?" Miss French answered with promptness, "Magazine editors."

Her first story was accepted in 1878 by Lippincott's Magazine who sent her $12 for "A Communist's Wife." Her subsequent work is largely realistic portraiture. Up to "The Man of the Hour," the books published by Miss French consisted of had appeared in the magazines. The complete list would be a long one. She had, however, previous to "The Man of the Hour," published nine volumes, as follows:—"Knitters of the Sun," "Explanation," "Otto, the Knight," "Stories of a Western Town," "An Adventure in Photography," "The Missionary Sheriff," "A Book of True Lovers," "The Heart of Toil" and "A Slave to Duty."

OCTAVE THANET

Miss French's career as a novelist, as distinguished from short story writer, began with "The Man of the Hour," published in 1905. It dealt with the problems of capital and labor and achieved an enormous popularity. There are many autobiographic touches in "The Man of the Hour." The Old Colony Plow Works were painted from the factory of agricultural implements which her father founded in Davenport and which are now run by her brothers. "The Lion's Share" followed in 1907. It was a mystery story. "By Inheritance," her latest book, deals with the negro problem.

BREWMASTER SCHREICK TO QUIT

Anton Schreick has resigned his position as brewmaster at the Portsmouth Brewing and Ice company's plant, effective July 15th.

Mr. Schreick retires with the remarkable record of having seen 28 years of uninterrupted service at the plant. He became brewmaster at the death of Philip Zucker 18 years ago and has filled the position ever since. He is undecided as to his future plans, but will likely seek other employment. An out-of-town man, it is said, will be secured to take his place.

Wear Winter's shoes.

Helen Is Puzzle

Cincinnati police do not know what to do with Helen Twinam, Lucasville girl, who was arrested while masquerading in men's clothes and who refuses to come back to a small town. She will likely be turned out in a few days.

Helen refused point blank to return with Deputy Sheriff Eckhart Friday.

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Runs Nail Into Foot

Miss Bertha Russell is confined to her home on Ninth street suffering from a painful injury sustained Friday from stepping on a rusty nail, which ran almost through her foot.

Cheap shoes at the Annex.

SPRAGUE'S DIVORCE COLONY NOW EIGHT

Attorney W. R. Sprague added another divorce suit to his seven before filing them with the clerk, making the total number of eight filed by him in one day, which certainly is the record for Scioto county.

Judge Beatty is kept tolerably busy issuing the necessary tie-up paper, but if all the attorneys were to combat him as fiercely as Mr. Sprague the entire population of the county would soon be made up of grass widows and widowers.

The three that supplement the list as published in Thursday's Times follows:

Watson vs. Watson.

The petitioner in this case is Nora Watson and the defendant is Herbert Watson. The ground upon which she relies to have the hymeneal bonds broken is adultery. She names May Dungan as the co-respondent and Williamson, W. Va., as the place where the wrong was committed. She also petitions for permanent alimony. The parties were married in 1891 at Wellston, Ohio and have two children, Frank, aged 11 years and Osherata aged 4 years.

Strehle vs. Strehle.

The plaintiff in this suit is Fred A. Strehle and the defendant is Inez Strehle. The ground upon which a divorce is asked is wilful absence. The plaintiff alleges that she has disregarded her marital duties by absenting herself from him for more than three years. He also asks for the custody of the child, Carlton R. aged seven years. The parties were married in this county in 1902.

Pollard vs. Pollard.

This petitioner, William H. Pollard asks for a divorce from Emma Pollard on the grounds of gross neglect and wilful absence. They have been separated since November 1909. The parties were married in this county in 1888 and have three children, Chester aged 20, Esta aged 16 and Pearl aged 12 years.

Ladies Read!

Home Vacuum Carpet Cleaner $8.50. Does the work of $100 machine. No electricity, gas or water connection needed. Can be handled by anyone. You can see it demonstrated at room 414 Masonic Temple, or call Home phone 104 or Bell 411 and we will bring it to your home. Agents wanted.

May Help Project

President H. S. Grimes of the board of trade, has addressed a letter to Solicitor Horace L. Small asking for the present status of the new city waterworks project. The board may lend a hand towards facilitating the progress of the case now in the courts.

Fine pickles and canned goods for picnics at Kennedy's grocery near N. & W. depot. 1-1t

Child Died Of Pneumonia

Lillie, the one-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Pitts died Friday night at 12 o'clock at the home of her parents, 113 Boundary street.

The death was due to pneumonia. The funeral was held Saturday from the residence at ten a. m. and the body was taken to the Star Yards cemetery where the burial took place.

Crops Fail In North Dakota

Frank Atkins, a former Portsmouth man, who went to Allendale, N. D., several months ago to become superintendent of the Farmers Co-Operative Elevator Co., in a letter to the Times states that he will leave there soon, as the crops in that state is almost a total failure causing the company to close down the elevator which was located at Devane Siding on the C. M. & St. P. Ry.

Ellison Has Taken Charge

Manchester, O., July 2.—R. H. Ellison, postmaster-elect, has taken charge of the office and named Miss Emma Shriver, who has been an employe since 1838, as his first deputy. The salary is $1600, including clerk hire. He is the fourth of the Ellisons to receive the appointment.

CARD OF THANKS.

We wish to thank our friends and neighbors for their sympathy and kindness during the sickness and death of our darling little daughter Marian Louise. We also thank Rev. Mr. Hartinger for his words of sympathy and Rev. Enyart for the beautiful songs.

MR. AND MRS. HERBERT H. PUGH.

To Visit Over The Fourth

Miss May ... for two years ... of the Union schools ... arrived here ... Fourth ... Mrs. W. ...

Chosen Supt. At Piketon

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Brick Co. to Have Meeting

The directors of the Buckeye Fire Brick company will hold a semi-annual meeting July 12th. The stockholders' suit against the company's former sales agents, Moulding & Co., of Chicago, is still pending in the federal court.

SLY IS CRAZY

An affidavit, charging lunacy against Albert Sly in probate court Saturday morning. Sly is now locked up at the city station.

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Monk Says He Is Much Alive

Arthur better known as "Chu" Monk of Mill street, says he is the young man whom the Blade tried to drown at the Capehart floats the other night. "Chu" is very much alive and so is his partner whose identity however he refuses to disclose.

Permits Given

Chief Davidson, after a conference with Mayor Searcy Saturday, agreed to permit dealers to sell ... excepting toy pistols and ... which are tabooed. Shooting ... will not be permitted until the Fourth. Permission has been refused to conduct ... stands out in the open ... sales must be conducted ... store rooms.

S. of V. Camp Is to Meet

The members of the Gen. Jacob H. Smith Camp, Sons of Veterans, will meet at their hall, Gallia Square, at 6:30 tomorrow, Sunday evening to attend the patriotic services at the First Christian church in a body. It is earnestly desired that all the members of camp report promptly. All Sons of Veterans are invited to go with the camp.

Pike Couple Are Wedded

[illegible]

Will Remain In Portsmouth

The report that Clarence Bayliss and wife were going to San Antonio, Texas, to locate, proves to have been a mistake. They will remain in Portsmouth.

Car Shops Shut Down

[illegible]

CARD OF THANKS.

[illegible]

THE CHILDREN AND GRAND-CHILDREN.

CONTRACTORS ARE BUSY

[illegible] ... Ben Allen has some ... Albert Zoellner ... property ... street.

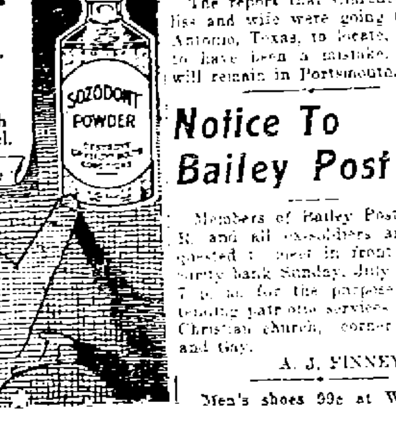
Button shoes at Winter's.

Notice To Bailey Post

Members of Bailey Post G. A. R. and all ex-soldiers are requested to meet in front of Security bank Sunday, July 3rd, at 7 p. m. for the purpose of attending patriotic services at the Christian church, corner Third and Gay.

A. J. FINNEY, P. C.

Men's shoes 99c at Winter's.



"Interest Payment July 1"

On all deposits of $5.00 or more, in our Savings Department, that has been on deposit one month or longer.

"BRING IN PASS BOOK"

after July 1st, and have the interest entered. It may be withdrawn if desired; otherwise, it becomes a part of the principal and also earns interest.

OUR NEXT INTEREST PAYMENT

will be November 1st. Any deposit made by July 5th, inclusive, will receive interest for four months at that time.

YOU ARE INVITED.

to become a depositor with us.

OUR METHOD IS THE BEST.

The Security Savings Bank

GEO. D. SELBY, President. HENRY W. HEER, Cashier.

A. C. BADER

THE NEW PROPRIETOR OF THAT BEAUTIFUL RESORT

Hotel Baderton

MINERAL SPRINGS, OHIO.

ASK FOR RATES.

APPRAISEMENTS OF VARIOUS BUILDINGS

The new re-appraisement books now being published show a mass of interesting information regarding real estate valuations in Portsmouth.

The Carr corner at Gallia and Chillicothe streets the site of the proposed new First National bank sky-scraper is appraised at $[illegible] or $800 per front foot.

The highest single entry building is the Masonic Temple which is appraised at $132,000.

The most valuable industry in the city is the Selby shoe factory, appraised at $375,000.

The upper Irving Drew factory is appraised at $119,140.

The Turley building is appraised at $12,250.

The highest appraised home place is that of Levi D. York which is put on at $39,000.

The George M. Appel home on Gallia is next with $31,490.

The church properties are non-taxable but the records show the new Holy Redeemer edifice to lead in value at $102,500 and Trinity church second with $90,800.

The appraisers considered the square bounded by Gallia and Sixth between Chillicothe and Gay as the most valuable business property in the city though it will not figure up as much as some perhaps by the front foot. The appraisement per front foot along Gallia is $600.

On the east side of Chillicothe street from Fourth to Gallia it is from $600 to $800 and on the west side $700 to $750 as far north as Sixth.

It is $200 on Second from Market to Court and $150 from Court to Chillicothe.

The second ward leads with a total appraisement of about $5,[illegible]00,000 and the First comes next with about $5,000,000.

The city water works were appraised at $104,500.

The total appraisement in the city will reach $18,000,000.

It will require $10,000,000 personal property to make the one per cent.

Chillicothe, O., July 2.—Paul Liddy of Columbus was drowned at Kidnockers mill, near this city. The man was in swimming when he went down without a word of warning. The body was recovered.

Circleville, O., July 2.—John Ogoish, the Greek, who had his right leg crushed while unloading gravel near Haysville on the N. & W. road last Tuesday, had his leg amputated below the knee. Ogoish cannot speak a word of English. He is a fine specimen of manhood.

RushWork

The extra gang engaged in laying steel on the new double track between this city and Davis is making fast headway. It is expected that the steel will be laid and the bed ballasted from Davis up to within *a quarter of a mile of Lucasville* by Saturday night. As soon as the new track is ready trains will [illegible] run over it and the old roadbed will be raised to the general level in several places. It now looks as if the double track will be completed between Lucasville and Davis and [illegible] use before the last of August.

Roanoke, Va., July 2.—A woman [illegible] N. & W. passenger train No. [illegible] handed a young baby to a [illegible] woman, and requested her to [illegible] the child while she stepped [illegible] the street. She said she was [illegible] to Ohio on the train. The [illegible] never came back and the [illegible] woman still has the baby.

[illegible] trying to dodge a team of [illegible] E. W. Purdy and J. M. South[illegible] of Lucasville, came near [illegible] their auto over a little [illegible] stopped just in time.

CROWDS LEAVE

Large crowds left the city Saturday afternoon going in every direction to escape the nerve racking of the 4th of July, and to [illegible] *short vacations*. Extra [illegible] were in use on all trains, [illegible] C. & O. and N. & W. The [illegible] packets did a large passenger business and helped much in [illegible] out the local population temporarily.

To Present Play For First Time

Next week, commencing Monday night, July 11th, the Millbrook Company will present for the first time on any stage a modern drama in four acts entitled "Madge" by W. A. Tremayne, author of "Lost 24 Hours" and "The Light of Other Days," two remarkably successful plays. The latter being the vehicle in which Mr. Robert Mantel attained great fame and fortune.

It is not often that a play by a well known author will receive its *premiere outside of a great* theatrical center, but thanks to the energetic and progressive management of the Casino, the Portsmouth public will have the first privilege of passing judgment upon a new play by an already successful author. 'Madge' will receive its first performance on any stage, at the hands of the Millbrook Company, at this theater, next Monday night, July 11.

Mr. Tremayne, the author, who is a Montreal newspaper man, will make every effort to arrive in Portsmouth in time to see the first presentation of his latest play.

"Madge" is a *strong drama* of modern life with a similar theme to "The Easiest Way" which was the sensation of the day when David Belasco presented Francis Starr in it at the Stuyvesant theater, New York.

The honor of creating the part of "Madge" will fall to Miss Louise Kent, whose *emotional* talents have won for her enviable praise wherever she has appeared.

Mr. Hall will be cast in a part particularly suited to his individual personality and method.

Indeed, it is for the reason that the Millbrook Company is especially competent, that Mr. Tremayne has granted them the privilege of creating his play.

QUARREL OVER THE MINISTER

Cupid was foiled Saturday after he had practically won his battle. A popular couple called at Judge Beatty's office to secure a marriage license all in the best of humor, but before the judge had completed writing out the necessary papers, a quarrel started between the couple and the marriage was *called off*. Everything went well until the matter of the officiating minister came up and here is where the trouble started. The lady would not consent for a certain minister to officiate and the groom also had objections to her choice. Neither would yield and the lady at last declared that she would remain single and told the fellow that it was all off.

The judge still holds the license partly issued in the hopes that they will kiss and make up in a short time.

25 CAR LOADS OF BEER COME

Twenty five car loads is a conservative estimate of the beer that was brought into the city Saturday for local consumption. The Moerlein company of Cincinnati shipped one car a day last week while the Portsmouth Brewing Co. *shipped from Catlettsburg two car* loads per day. The Foss-Schneider company and the Wiedeman Co. had a car shipped in to the city each day last week.

In addition to the regular wagon force of the Portsmouth Brewing company three large Interstate wagons were drafted into the service Saturday on making deliveries. Dick Thornton was helping out at the local brewery.

MIKE SEES DARK DAYS AHEAD FOR "PEERLESS"

Mike Friel, retired business man, predicts a gloomy epoch for *Portsmouth in the next few years.* He sees the sheriff selling every piece of property in the First and Second wards in a few years for taxes. The great increase in appraisement, he says, notwithstanding the one per cent rate, will place such a burden on Chillicothe, Gallia and Second streets that the owners will be unable to pay the taxes.

Ironton Boy Was Run Down

Ironton, *July 2.*—While crossing the tracks in the Etna yards with a bucket of water in each hand, Harold Raine, 18 years old, son of Joseph Raine, was struck by a C. H. & D. engine and so badly mangled that he died almost immediately.

Sent to the Infirmary

Sarah Margaret Zornes, the runaway Greenup, Ky., young woman, detained by the police, was sent to the county infirmary Saturday afternoon.

LICENSED TO MARRY

Rus Hammond, aged 19, a farmer of Pond Creek, was granted a license Saturday afternoon to marry Miss Rosana Kaden, aged 16. Squire Hall officiated.

Daniel Kennedy aged 31,a pipe fitter of 135 West Seventh street, city, was granted a license Saturday afternoon to marry Miss Mary Alice Rodgers, aged 27, of this city. Squire Byron officiated.

Charles Hunt, aged 25, a teamster of 328 East Sixth street, was granted a license Saturday afternoon to marry Miss Rosa Scott, *aged 16, a shoeworker, city. Rev.* Allen to officiate.

Is Fined At Greenup

A report reached Portsmouth Saturday afternoon that a Greenup drayman was arrested there this afternoon on a charge of transporting intoxicating liquors from the wharfboat to the soft drink stands and fined $50 and costs.

Demand For Ice

Complaints of the ice famine, mentioned elsewhere, were general Saturday. The three ice factories simply could not meet the demand. Owing to many people *wanting ice to cool drinks over* Sunday, there were many new customers.

To Orate on July Fourth

Miller's Grove in Vernon township, on the Fourth, will echo with the mighty oratory of three of our fellow townsmen in the persons of the following honorable gentlemen Nate B. Gilliland, Frank W. Moulton and Henry L. Cline.

Report Of Appraisers

Sampson D. Eckhart, Earnest Everling and Fred Koening, as appraisers of the estate of John Bainer, deceased, have filed their report with the probate judge. They report $550 in money and $500 in notes, making a total estate of $1050. Ella Morford is the administratrix.

Browns Have Three Games

Manager M. T. Zuhars of the Kentucky Browns, announced on Saturday morning the games to be played by his team from Saturday to the Fourth.

Saturday afternoon the team goes to Ironton to play Henry Paul's team of that city. A game is scheduled with the Outlaws for Sunday at Coney Island, and on Monday a game will be played with the nest team at Vanceburg, Ky. Manager Zuhars will depend upon three pitchers to cop the games, Brooker, Lambert and Stockham.

Is Now In Bluefield

A. J. Pirrung of Portsmouth, O., has accepted a position here in the Norfolk & Western railway station.—Bluefield Telegram.

EMIL HELT IS ACCUSED

Humane Officer Harry Ball on Saturday afternoon swore out a warrant against Huckster Emil Helt for alleged cruelty to animals. Helt, it is said, had not fed his horse since 4 o'clock Saturday morning and his stable was reported to be in an unsanitary condition. He will likely be given a hearing Monday.

ARRESTED AT COVINGTON

Covington, Ky., July 2.—Detective Booth last night arrested *Harry Bertram of Portsmouth, O.*, on the charge of drunkenness. Bertram claimed that he fell from a street car and bore several bruises on his leg to substantiate this statement.

Engineer S. W. Wiley of Robinson avenue, left Friday for Reno, Nev., to witness the big Jeffries and Johnson prize fight. Mr. Wiley takes quite an interest in prize fighting.

Judge Blair is scheduled to speak at Canal Dover on July 4th.

Farmer Saved Coin

A Darke county farmer saved himself about $10,000 by making a trip to Portsmouth Saturday. A gentleman residing in his neighborhood made him a proposition a few days ago to trade a farm of 300 acres in Nile township for his *200 acre farm in Darke county*, worth approximately $200 an acre. The gentleman represented to him that the farm was as level as a table and the soil as fertile as the lands in the Red River valley. He was about to accept the proposition without coming to see the fine Nile township farm but at last concluded that he had better see it before making the deal.

He was patting himself on the back Saturday afternoon for making the trip as he claims that the *farm is not worth 50c per acre.*

JOSIE HAS THE COIN

Joe Dill, former North End saloon keeper, was flashing a large roll of the "cush" Saturday afternoon wanting to place a bet on 'Lil Arthur.

Are to Pay Their Fines

Sam Watson and James Brown, the two colored fellows who were fined by Judge Blair last Thursday night, for bootlegging, have arranged to pay their fines and were released. All was remitted but $25 of Watson's fine and $100 of Brown's.

Probably the biggest pay day ever experienced in Lucasville was last Saturday. The N. & W. extra force *of over 225 men that is laying the* steel on the new track drew their checks, here and Contractors Smith and Ryan paid off Saturday. The combined pay roll of the contractors and railway company was in the neighborhood of $4500.—Lucasville Gazette.

The race track at the fair grounds will not be rebuilt this year. The N. & W. double track improvements will not be completed along the grove before the fair dates this season and there will consequently be no necessity of rebuilding the track before this season's *fair.*—Lucasville Gazette.

August Maier took his horse and buggy to Cincinnati Saturday and expects to spend a great part of the summer there. He expects to drive back.

Is Wanted At Greenup

Newport, Ky., July 2.—The authorities of Greenup county, Ky., appear to be very anxious to secure Edward Barton and Jack Shepherd, who were indicted there on a charge of stealing brass castings. They are shantyboat men and are thought to be in this vicinity.

Got Third Money

Jake Pfau's horse Fletcher Burns took third money in the 2:15 pace ($400 purse) at Hamilton Friday. Cliff Todd drove Burns who promises to have another great season. Cadmus, Jr., the former Waverly horse sold by Clarence Vallery last year to Curt Gonsell of Cambridge City, Ind., won the last heat.

Mr. William Reimenschneider, a son-in-law of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Bloomeyer of this city was elected vice president at the 28th annual convention of the National German American Educational Alliance which closed several days session in Cleveland Friday evening.

A fine new electric fan has been installed in Haer's grocery.

G. W. Keller, formerly general foreman of the N. & W. car shops is here from Roanoke, Va., to spend the Fourth.

TODAY'S GAME

HOW THEY STAND.

Ohio State League.

Clubs.	W.	L.	Pct.
Portsmouth	30	20	.643
Marion	33	20	.623
Lima	32	22	.593
Lancaster	23	31	.426
Chillicothe	20	33	.377
Newark	18	36	.333

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS.

Marion	3
Chillicothe	2
Lancaster	7
Newark	0
Portsmouth	3
Lima	2

Seven hundred were on hands Saturday to see the third game between Lima and Portsmouth. Riley and Textor and Miller and Weinberg were the batteries.

First Inning.

Doherty walked. McClintock sacrificed, Houtz tripled to left, Doherty scoring. Nesser grounded, Miller to Scudder. Lloyd also grounded to Scudder. One run, one hit, no error.

Breen grounded, second to first. Conwell flied to center. O'Day singled to center. Scudder flied to Textor. No *runs, one hit*, no errors.

Second Inning.

Textor flied to Breen. Newnham grounded to Scudder. Long fanned. No runs, no hits, no errors.

Weinberg fouled to Houtz in left. Childs flied to short. Hornung *fouled to first.* No *runs*, no hits, no errors.

Third Inning.

Riley grounded, Childs to Scudder. Doherty grounded, Hornung to Scudder. McClintock fouled to Weinberk. No runs, no hits, no errors.

Callis walked and took second *and* a passed ball. Miller fouled to Textor. Callis was penned and run down on Breen's grounder. Conwell fanned. No runs, no hits, no errors.

Fourth Inning.

Houtz singled through Hornung. Nesser grounded, Conwell to Scudder. Lloyd grounded Hornung to Scudder. Textor flied to chils. No runs, one hit, no errors.

O'Day fanned. Scudder singled to left. Weinberg hit into a double play, third to second to first. No runs, one hit, no errors.

Fifth Inning.

Newnham grounded, Hornung to Scudder. Long fanned. Riley grounded. Hornung to Scudder. No runs, no hits, no errors.

Childs flied to left, Hornung flied to middle. Callis singled to third and died stealing. No runs, one hit, no errors.

Sixth Inning.

Doherty grounded, Miller to Scudder. McClintock died, Hornung to Scudder. Houtz fanned. No runs, no hits, no errors.

Miler flied to left. Breen singled to the pitcher and took second on a wild throw. Conwell flied to left and O'Day to third. No runs, one hit, no errors.

Seventh Inning.

Nesser grounded, *Miller* to udder. Lloyd grounded to Scudder. Lloy grounded to Scudder. Textor grounded, Miller to Scudder. No runs, no hits, no errors.

Scudder grounded, third to first. Weinberg walked and died stealing. Chils fanned. No runs, no hits, no errors.

Eighth Inning.

Newnham walked. Long sacrificed. Riley grounded. Childs to Scudder. *Doherty grounded*, Miller to Scuder. No runs, no hits, no errors.

Hornung grounded, third to first. Callis short to first. Miller, third to first. No runs, no hits, no errors.

Ninth Inning.

McClintock flied to O'Day. *Houtz singled to center. Nesser* fouled to Conwell. Lloyd flied to Miller. No runs, one hit, no errors.

Breen singled through McClintock. Conwell fanned. O'Day grounded, second to first. Scudder singled. Breen scoring. Weinberg fouled to Nesser. One run, two hits, *no errors.*

Tenth Inning.

Textor grounded. Childs to Scudder. Newnham ditto. Long doubled to center. Riley grounded, Childs to Scudder. No runs, 1 hit no errors.

Chils flied to second. Hornung flied to McClintock. Callis flied to middle. *No runs, no hits, no* errors.

Eleventh Inning.

Lima ..	0
Ports...	0

Twelfth Inning.

Lima ..	0
Ports...	0

Thirteenth Inning.

Lima ..	0
Ports...	0

Fourteenth Inning.

Lima ..	0
Ports...	0

Fifteenth Inning.

Lima ..	0
Ports...	1

REDS WIN

Cincinnati, O., July 2.—The Reds handed it to Pittsburg again Saturday at Pittsburk. The score

	R.	H.	E.
Cincinnati	5	9	0
Pittsburg	1	4	3

Batteries: Burns and McLean; Powell, Phillippi and Gibson.

BISHOP IS TO STAY ON BOARD

Columbus, O., July 2.—Following an opinion of Attorney General Denman, Governor Harmon this afternoon announced he would not remove secretary Joseph Bishop as member of state board of arbitration. Columbus street railroad men asked for Bishop's removal, claiming he was not qualified to serve. The ruling is he is qualified. BLAKE.

BRANT GETS 5 COYOTES

J. H. Brant received five coyotes from Charles Lynn, of Oklahoma, Wednesday. The animals will be kept here for *a few days* and any-one wishing to see them can do so *by calling at Brant's store.*

The animals will be turned over to John Abbott, who lives on the top of the Kentucky hill opposite Portsmouth.—Lucasville Gazette.

Condition Is Critical

James Cross, the pensioner, residing on West Second street, who *has been very ill for* the last few days, was reported very low Saturday, and can partake of no nourishment whatever.

MR. HARRIS IMPROVING

Judson Harris, well known B. & O. conductor, who has been for the last year at the sanitarium at Columbus, returned to his home Saturday very much improved in health.

THEATRE WAS REOPENED

The Majestic theater re-opened Saturday for the rest of the summer with good vaudeville and moving pictures. The aim will be to present a summer program. The regular Wm. Morris vaudeville will start again in September.

Wedding Bells Are Ringing

It is reported that John Herman and a charming young lady who resides on Robinson avenue have decided to celebrate the Fourth by getting married. *Herman's friends* are preparing to give the couple a royal send-off.

Earl Pursell left Saturday on a trip east in the interests of the Tracy Shoe Co.

Ironton Couple To Wed.

Miss Louella Brownstead and Mr. Roy Ainsworth, a popular young couple of Ironton who are well known here will be married next week.

Walter Ruhlman arrived from Columbus Friday night with the new Maxwell Touring car which was recently purchased by Secretary Pake of the Y. M. C. A.

Word has been received in the city that Ernest Harrison, a farmer of the Pond Run vicinity, is very ill and is not expected to live.

SOCIAL NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Emil Cline and two children of Huntington, are the guests until after the Fourth of his cousin, Mr. R. L. Cline of *East Eighth street.*

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Riddle will spend the Fourth with Mrs. Riddle's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Hason, of Chillicothe.

J. C. Adams and daughter, Miss Jean, went to Portsmouth on the noon train today to visit relatives.—Ashland Independent.

Mrs. John Lynn accompanied by her sister, Miss Merry C. Lloyd left Friday evening for Oak Hill to spend the Fourth with their father Mr. T. F. Lloyd.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Broch, of 66 West Eighth street and Mr. William Broch went to Cincinnati Saturday morning to visit relatives over the Fourth.

Misses Mary and Rosa Glatz will spend the Fourth in Columbus with their sister, Mrs. Ellis Belcher.

Mr. and Mrs. Grover Welch of Grandview avenue left Saturday for Hillsboro to visit relatives.

The Jackson Herald says that the Misses Sybel Powell, Minnie Hartledge and Cora May Davis of this city and Miss Mildred Thomas of Portsmouth, formed an auto party which made the trip to Wellston. The auto was in the charge of Atty. E. C. Powell.—Miss Anna Sheldon is home from Frost, Ky., where she has been the guest of Miss May Johnson.

Miss Cora Swabby left Saturday for Columbus to spend a *few days with relatives and* friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Mathews and daughter, Thelma and Mrs. H. C. Lodwick left Saturday afternoon for Chillicothe to spend the Fourth with Mrs. McClintock and Miss Bell Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. T. F. Davis of Washington street, will have as guests over the fourth their sister-in-law, Mrs. A. V. McFarland and little son, Paul of Mineral Springs.

Miss Nellie Lorberg of the Kanawha hotel force of Charleston, W. Va., has returned home for a visit with home folks at Hermsdorf, Kinney's Lane.

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Stemshorn left Saturday for Cincinnati where they will spend the Fourth.

Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Sickles of Gay street, entertained a number of friends Friday evening in honor of the thirty-seventh birthday anniversary of their son, *Harry* M. Sickles, the Times "ad" setter. Refreshments of ice cream and cake were served.

There will be no meeting of the L. C. B. A. society on July 4, and instead a meeting will be held July 11th.

Ned Alger, of Huntington, was in the city Saturday seeing to the location of the proposed residence *for the widow of the late Judge* Thompson. Mrs. Thompson will begin to build at once.

Wes. Hamm has returned to Columbus at the end of a visit to local relatives.

Daniel Kennedy and Mary A. Rogers were married by Squire Byron Saturday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

Miss Mabel Cross left Saturday for *Cleveland, O.*, where she will spend two weeks with friends. She will then go from there to Philadelphia, Pa., and will return to Portsmouth the latter part of August.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Williams, of East Ninth street, have as their guests over the Fourth, John Blankemeyer and his nieces, the Misses Schafer, of Hanging Rock.

To Show Fight On A Screen

Pete J. Haubert, proprietor of Weichens' cigar store had erected Saturday afternoon a large frame white screen on the Gallia street esplanade on which he intends to throw the returns from the Jeffries and Johnson fight on Monday evening, along with portraits of the fighters and their training quarters.

THINK GIRL HAS ELOPED

Has Myrtle, the pretty fifteen-year-old daughter of Rev. Frank Craig, a Holy Roller preacher, eloped?

This is the question that is exciting the entire populace of the East End, and one that circumstantial evidence would point to being a fact.

Miss Craig, who resided with her parents on Grandview avenue left her home Friday night at 8 o'clock, and was seen to join a man near the corner of Vinton avenue. Both carried suit cases and according to what can be learned they went down an alley in the direction of the N. & W. depot. The alarm was given that the couple intended to elope and the girl's father soon recruited a small army of neighbors an a search was instituted, but proved futile, although they searched nearly half the night.

It is stated that for some time past Miss Craig has been receiving letters from a male friend who lived in West Virginia, the home of the Craigs before they moved here.

Who the writer was neither one of the parents know.

Their daughter had always been of a quiet and retiring disposition, and they are much worked up over the alleged action of their daughter and will make every effort to apprehend her.

It was stated by the attaches of of the N. & W. depot that the couple did not board the train at Portsmouth. Some persons think they took a street car to Sciotoville and caught the midnight train there.

Portsmouth Boys To See Big Fight

Portsmouth will be well represented at the big fight between Jack Johnson and Jim Jeffries at Reno, Nevada, on the Fourth of July, for according to a post card received by a person in this city from John Schlichter, who with another *Portsmouth* boy, Charles Bayerl, is located at Voncouver, British Columbia, they are off for the fight, and will be joined at Seattle by Stanley Shiveley and Edward Knost and from there will go to Reno.

Schlichter states that he and Bayerl are well supplied with funds and hope to get down a good sized bet that Jeffries wins. Here's hoping that the four Portsmouth boys pick the winner.

Shiveley, who up until a year ago, was employed at the Gilbert Grocery Co., is now working for Eugene Anderson at Seattle. He was a crack bowler, being a member of the Major bowling team.

Special Holiday Matinee at the Casino, July 4th. "Facing the Music."

Line Up Of The P. C. C.'s

Joe Kountz, manager of the P. C. C. team, gave out his line-up, Saturday for the game his team will play at Chillicothe on the 4th with Danny Friend's strong bunch: Lewis, 1b; Kountz, 2b; W. Doherty, ss; Gableman, 3b; Bateman, lf; J. Doherty, cf; Jewett, rf; Crichton, p; Russell, c.

Famine In Ice

Portsmouth is experiencing an ice famine on a small scale, simply because the demand is much greater than the supply. It was stated at the office of the Stockham plant, Saturday, that the calls for ice are the heaviest in the history of Portsmouth, the reason being that so many cases, half barrels and barrels are arriving in town.

Red Cross shoes for tender feet.

For fire works go to the Corner Book Store, Second and Chillicothe street. 1-2

IS CLAIMED BY DEATH

Cholera infantum saddened the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dow Barton of Vinton avenue, Saturday morning when Ralph, their pretty seventeen months old baby boy passed away.

The little one had only been sick for three or four days and his sudden taking away was a great shock to the parents, who have the sympathy of many friends in their bereavement.

Mr. Barton is a conductor on the N. & W. Tadpole division.

Douglas shoes $3.50 at Winter's.

Are Going To Dayton

Bryson West, accompanied by his wife, will leave Saturday evening for Dayton, Ohio, where they will spend the Fourth with his brother Frank, a prosperous merchant of the Gem City. It is stated that Bryson will likely locate in Dayton, where a splendid position has been offered him.

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Potts to Go On Vacation

J. F. Potts, proprietor of the Arcana theatre, will leave early Sunday morning on a month's vacation. Most of the time will be spent at the home of his parents at Harold, Ontario, Canada. The Times will follow him, as he wants to keep track of what is going on and especially keep posted on the work of the Shoemakers for whom he has rooted ... and main through his ...

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Great Crowd Was At The Exercise

An immense crowd attended the Porter township Boxwell graduating commencement exercises held at the Methodist church in Sciotoville Friday evening.

A splendid program was rendered and which was interspersed with delightful music, the exercises ending with a fine address by Prof. J. H. Cook of Wheelersburg.

Prof. Cook took a strong stand in favor of a High school at Sciotoville ... [illegible]

Special To Game

[illegible]

Coaster Men Back In Town

[illegible]

Wild West Show Here July 12th

A. P. Scott, advance man for the Young Buffalo Wild West show, was here Saturday and secured a license for that attraction. It will show on the old mill lot in the West End Tuesday, July 12th.

Will Move to Columbus

Harry Morris, former canal inspector, is preparing to move to Columbus within the near future. His eldest brother, John Morris, is located in the Capital City. It is likely that Prof. James Creveling of the high school faculty, will rent the Morris home on East Fourth street.

Herman Hansgen Saturday put up a McCormick binder for Alex M. Glockner. It was placed on display on the Market street esplanade and attracted much attention.

PITIFUL CASE OF SKIN DISEASE

When Two Months Old, Baby had Pimples Spread All Over Body—Broke and Left Skin Like a Scald—An Awful Sight—Doctor Afraid to Put His Hands on the Child.

CURED AT SLIGHT COST BY CUTICURA REMEDIES

[illegible]

WarmGame Promised

A warm game is promised to the fans who journey to Riverside Park, Sunday afternoon, to witness the struggle between the River Citys and Flies. The game will be called promptly at 2:30 o'clock as the teams are evenly matched the game should be a fight from start to finish. The teams will line up as follows:

River Citys: Smith, 1b; Carvers, Staiger, 2b; Hartledge, 3b; Mowery, p; Demint, c; Thimmes, cf; Helt, rf; Riggles, lf.

Flies: Holt, c; Lang, p; Reinhardt, ss; Bateman, 1b; Lotell, 2b; Bassler, 3b; Grimm, 1f; Phillips, cf; Cutlip, rf.

An admission fee of 15c will be charged.

To Start Work On New Gauge

Contractor Samuel Rice expects to begin work on the new government river gauge next week. It will be located at the foot of Madison street and will be constructed of iron set in concrete. Its cost will be close to $2000. The only other similar one in this section is located in Cincinnati.

AN INFIRMARY INMATE SAYS SHE WAS ABUSED BY A GREENUP, KY. MAN

A story of alleged mistreatment was related by Sarah Mary Zornes, a badly deformed runaway inmate of the Greenup county infirmary, who was detained by the local police Friday night.

The young woman had applied to the authorities for aid in locating a sister, Mrs. Malissa Zornes-Fletcher, wife of Preston Fletcher who said she lived somewhere in the city. She herself had arrived here on the packet Greyhound, walking away from the Greenup infirmary that morning. She had been an inmate there for three weeks. The other day she says she was abused by a woman and when she showed her resentment a man, according to her story, beat her violently and knocked her shoulder out of place.

Sarah is twenty years old and badly crippled from paralysis. She was a daughter of the late Jerry Zornes of Greenup. The *Greenup authorities* have been notified of the young woman's presence here.

The latest and cheapest line of fire works at the Corner Book Store, Second and Chillicothe Sts. 1-2

Directors Are Chosen

The stockholders of the Davis Drug company Saturday re-elected the present directory composed of Messrs. John Brandel, Will Brandel, Will McGuire, J. W. Bannon and Simon Labold. The directors will organize later.

New Pastor Is Detained

Rev. H. W. Lambert, who was to have arrived in Portsmouth on Friday night, and was also to have preached his first sermon on the Baptist Tabernacle on Sunday, did not arrive, as he was detained in Bryn Mawr, Pa., as a witness in a law suit. Rev. Lambert will arrive in Portsmouth on Tuesday.

The services at the tabernacle Sunday will be conducted by Rev. Lowe.

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Pearson's for JULY

How to get a "square deal" from office holders is explained in another article in the same issue of this magazine. Why Cuba Hates the United States is shown in the story of "The Man Who Owns Cuba." John Brisben Walker explains what a parcels post would mean to your pocketbook, and there are eight complete short stories.

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WANTED— Young girl to take care children and assist in house work. Apply to Mrs. Frank Swinalski, 156 E. Second. 2-tf

WANTED— Experienced clerk in grocery, must be a hustler. Apply with references. Married men preferred. Canter Grocery New Boston. Phone 7 on 8. 1-3

WANTED—Strong young man to work in bake shop, one with some experience preferred. Apply at Grassman's Bakery, 715 Chillicothe St. 1-2

WANTED—Washing and ironing to do at 104 Mill street. 1-3

WANTED—A girl for general house work. Mrs. Frank B. Finney, 13 West Sixth St. 29-tf

WANTED—Girl 15 or 16 to help with house work. South east corner of Chillicothe and Kinney's lane. 29-tf

WANTED— An agent to sell household and veterinary remedies, Spices, Extracts, Perfumes Toilet Goods and specialties throughout the country districts with wagon. Pays from $25 per week up. Mutual Mfg. Co., Canton, O. 27-6

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WANTED—Lady sewers to make up shields at home; $10 per 100; can make two an hour; work sent prepaid to reliable women. Send reply envelope for full information to Universal Remedy Co., Desk 4, Walnut St., Philadelphia, Pa. 1-2

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FOR SALE—I will receive bids for house and buildings on lot 1013 Offnere street. Must be removed at once. F. H. Fritts, 1403 Lincoln. Phone A 645. 2-3

FOR SALE—Cheese for fish bait 5c a pound. Chas. Harter, corner Eighth and Court. 30-3

FOR SALE—Sterotype mats, better than paper for putting under carpets. Times office.

FOR SALE—My horse and surrey also one express wagon; one farm wagon, one light buggy. See J. W. Flood, East End drug store. 18-tf

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FOR RENT— Nicely furnished front room with bath. Apply at 21 East Third. 1t

FOR RENT—Business room on Chillicothe street between Second and Third. Inquire at 24 East Second St. 1

FOR RENT— Desirable flat. Inquire of Fred Klingman, 129 West Second street. 30-3

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LOST— Somewhere on Gallia between Gay and Chillicothe, a small plain gold ring. Finder leave at Walter Bagby's grocery. 2-2

LOST—Gold watch fob with initials "W. L. T." Return to 94 East Eighth street for reward. 29-3

LOST—Gentleman's watch fob. Initials C. E. L. Return to Charles Luckett at Street Railway office. 1-2

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Boy Thief Allowed Freedom

Roy Willis, the 12 year old boy arrested for stealing a mare from Sherman Odle at Pond Run will not be prosecuted. William Willis the lad's father appeared at the hearing before Squire Veasy Friday afternoon and interceded for the boy and the case was dismissed on request of Odle.

Smoky Home From the West

"Smoky" Timberlake has returned home from an extensive trip West. While in Iowa he chanced to meet Frank Ray, the Portsmouth boy who is pitching for Dubuque and they had quite a time together.

Side Show to Big Event

A dog fight caused as much excitement on West Second street, Saturday afternoon in front of the United States Express office and the big fight at Reno will arouse Monday. The little terrier belonging to Oscar Ruark was in the express wagon when a large bull dog leaped up after him and seized him by the throat. They were parted after the smaller dog had been badly used up.

Must Pay License

Chief Davidson announced Saturday that he expected to enforce the huckster license and emphasized his words by taking Emil Helt into the office of the Mayor and making him pay up $10 back license fee.

Close Deal Real Estate

H. H. Higgins sold a lot on Summit street to John A. Hubman Saturday for a consideration of $959. The sale was made through Evans and Jordan.

Low cut shoes at Winter's.

FOR SALE

Modern 5 room cottage on New Fifth street, $2,400.
Nice 5 room cottage on New Sixth street near Offnere. Good location, paved street and car line water, gas, cellar, cistern, slate roof. A bargain, $2,500.
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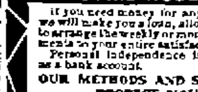

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MAN DROWNS OFF TOW BOAT

Frank Burk, a deckhand on the Hatfield Coal company's boat Convoy, either committed suicide or was drowned by accident late yesterday afternoon in the Ohio river near Vanceburg, Ky.

Burk was last seen walking toward the rear of the boat, and when search was made for him later no trace could be found. A search of the river was also made, but the man's remains were not located.

It is said that Burk resided in Covington, or had two sisters living there, but none of his relatives could be located last night. Burk is described as weighing about 150 pounds and 5½ feet in height. He wore a yellow shirt and blue overalls when last seen.

Special Holiday Matinee at the Casino, July 4th. "Facing the Music."

THE MARKETS

Chicago, Ills., July 2.—The end of the week finds the grain market in a condition that is more satisfactory than it has been for some weeks. As all the territory in the spring wheat section have received bounteous rains, which have practically rescued the spring wheat from disaster, and in many places where they anticipated entire failure, they are now feeling as if they will get almost a full crop. This and with the excellent yield in the winter wheat states, that are now threshing their wheat has caused quite a slump in the market, and with a prospect of some lower figures when the new crop begins to move heavily.

All the corn growing states have had bounteous rains, and it is estimated that while the planting and growing was fully two weeks late in most all sections, that the excellent growing weather that we have had, if it only continues, will enable the plant to recover itself to such an extent that it will gain all it lost in the next three or four weeks. A prospect for a very bounteous crop of corn owing to the large increase of acreage is very flattering, and is causing this cereal to weaken very much.

And the prices on wheat are 35c a bushel lower at this time than they were this time last year, and on corn fully 20c. The prospect for oats is the largest that has been for years, and this cereal never looked finer in all sections of the country.

Live Stock Markets.
(By United Press.)

Chicago, July 2.—Cattle — Receipts, 300 head; market steady; beeves, $6.35 to $8.55; Texas, $4.25 to $6.50; westerners, $5.10 to $7.25; stockers and feeders, $3.90 to $5.75; cows and heifers, $2.50 to $7.00; calves, $5.50 to $8.25.

Hogs — Receipts, 5000 head; market 5 lower; light, $9.05 to $9.50; mixed, $8.80 to $9.50; heavy, $8.60 to $9.35; rough, $8.60 to $8.80; pigs, $9.10 to $9.45.

Sheep — Receipts, 4000 head; market steady; natives, $2.75 to $4.85; westerners, $3.25 to $4.85.

Lambs — $4.75 to $8.40, westerners, $5.25 to $7.75.

Pittsburg, July 2.—Hogs — Receipts, 15 double deck; market lower; heavy, $9.25; medium, $9.50; yorkers, $9.50 to $9.60; pigs, $9.75 to $9.80.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 10 double deck; market stronger.

Cattle — Supply light; market steady.

Jas. C. Adams Here Today

James Adams, former city clerk now located in Catlettsburg, was in the city Saturday. He is doing well in the commission business.

Special Holiday Matinee at the Casino, July 4th. "Facing the Music."

School Commission Has First Session

Columbus, July 2.—The commission to select sites for the two normal schools to be located in northern Ohio held its first meeting in Columbus, Friday afternoon and organized by electing Pro. Charles L. Martzolff of Athens, chairman and Prof. W. H. Johnson of Granville, secretary.

Van Wert, one of the score or more cities in the race for the institutions, was represented at the hearing. Three different towns in Ashtabula county are fighting for the institution to be located in north eastern Ohio. The commission will arrange to visit the towns which are in the competition.

L. D. York of Portsmouth is one of the commissioners and was present.

Several Cases Of Heat Prostrations

J. H. Johnson, chief clerk in the local B. & O. officers took sick very suddenly Friday night while working in the office on Fifth and Market streets. His attack was due to the intense heat of the evening.

Another case of heat prostration came to notice Friday evening about 5 o'clock when John Gleason of the Irving Drew company was overcome at the corner of Market and Second streets. He was alright Saturday morning and returned to work none the worse for his attack.

At the Clerk's league games Friday afternoon, Joe Kountz, who was pitching for the Hoerchow team, became deathly sick and suffered chills. It was ten minutes before he was brought around to his usual state of health.

Charles Gifford will leave Sunday for Columbus where he will resume his position as clerk in the Pan Handle freight house.

Shops Close On Monday

All barber shops in the city will be closed Monday, July 4th, announces Secretary Roy McElhaney.

Cheap shoes at the Annex.

Hit By A Hammer

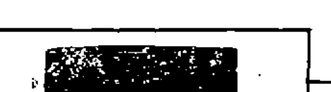
Guy Hughes, 18, an employe at the steel mill at New Boston was working in a pit Friday evening when a fellow workman struck him over the head with a sledge hammer. The blow was accidental and there was no intention of hurting the Hughes boy. Hughes was completely knocked out and had to be removed to Hempstead hospital.

ACCIDENT ON N. & W.

An N. & W. freight pulled out a coupling and the rear end of a box car between the Star Yards and Sciotoville Saturday morning and traffic was delayed for an hour. An extra switch had to be laid in order that transportation might be resumed.

Miss Katharine Smith, of 89 West Second, will leave Sunday for Norfolk, Va., to spend the summer at the sea shore. She will be joined by a party of relatives at Huntington.

Boys' shoes at Winter's.



The First Straw Hat

TO WHOM BELONGS THE CREDIT OF ORIGINATING THE NOW UNIVERSALLY POPULAR SUMMER HEAD COVERING—THE STRAW HAT — IS ENTIRELY A MATTER OF CONJECTURE. ITS EVOLUTION, COULD IT BE ACCURATELY TRACED FROM ITS CRUDE BEGINNING TO ITS PRESENT STATE OF PERFECTION, WOULD, NO DOUBT, MAKE AN INTERESTING STORY. THE FIRST STRAW HATS TO ATTAIN ANY DEGREE OF POPULARITY IN THIS COUNTRY WERE THE BALTIMORE MACKINAWS.

LATER CAME THE RAGE FOR THE PANAMA, THE POPULARITY OF WHICH, HAS GROWN BY LEAPS. TODAY NO ONE STYLE OF HAT OR PARTICULAR KIND OF STRAW HAS THE CALL. THE RANGE OF STYLES IS WIDE AND VARIED AND THE DEMAND FOR STRAW HATS IS WORLD WIDE, ESPECIALLY FOR TOWNSEND GRACE HATS. KEEP IN FRONT RANK, BUY TOWNSEND GRACE HATS AS THEY ARE DRAWING STRAWS EXCLUSIVE AGENTS.

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SOCIETY

Mr. Raph S. Izard, a well known N. & W. conductor, and Mrs. Lelia Allison Johnson, widow of the late R. P. Johnson, left Portsmouth early Saturday morning for Columbus where they were to have been married after their arrival. Mrs. Johnson's son, Percy, accompanied the two. The wedding was to be a quiet one and with but a few friends present. A trip east is to be taken as a honeymoon. The license was secured in Portsmouth Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Barr, of Newark, are visiting their daughter, Mrs. Albert Pressler, of [illegible] street.

Mrs. Harry E. Taylor left today for Gallipolis to spend several weeks as the guest of Dr. and Mrs. Claude B. Parker.

Dan McIntosh, formerly of this city, but now located in Cleveland, arrived today to remain over the Fourth as guest of friends.

Mrs. B. A. Johnson and son, Eric, of Spokane, Wash, who have been guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Brown, of John street, arrived in Portsmouth last week from St. Louis, Mo., and Keokuk, Iowa, where they have been visiting at the home of Cal Ballinger, father of Judge Ballinger, secretary of the interior, now prominent in the Ballinger-Pinchot controversy. Mrs. Johnson is also a relative of Mrs. Brown, whose maternal grandmother was a Miss Ballinger. Mrs. Johnson and son will leave today for Washington City, her old home, and for an extended visit through the east, returning to St. Paul by way of the Great Lakes and thence to Spokane in September.

Miss Mayme Faivre, the teacher, was on duty as deputy in the probate judge's office Friday. She will look after the work while her cousin, the regular deputy, of the same name, takes her annual vacation. Miss Faivre will be off several weeks and will spend most of the time with her mother in Denver, Colorado. She will leave the first of the week for the Golden West.

Mrs. Mary S. Cotton of this city, who has been visiting her son-in-law and daughter, Prof. and Mrs. E. S. Sparks at State College, Pennsylvania, has accompanied the latter to Ephraim, Wisconsin, to spend the summer.

Miss Rosa Walsh of Otway is visiting her cousins, the Misses Conley of East Fifth avenue.

Fred Klingman and wife expect to spend Sunday and Monday at Mineral Springs.

R. B. Cunningham and family went to Sciotoville Saturday for a few days' outing.

Miss Esther Salser of East Eighth street, left Friday for a two weeks' visit with her former neighbors, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Farmer at Detroit, Mich.

Mail Carrier Bob Morgan expects to leave Sunday on a vacation visit to French Lick Springs.

Miss Laura Neal of Ironton, is visiting Portsmouth friends.

Miss Lisetta Gerlach, formerly of this city, but now of Cincinnati, is coming for a few days' visit to friends and relatives. Miss Gerlach has been attending school at Mt. Notre Dame academy at Reading, O., for the past two years. This is her first visit here since that time. She will be accompanied by her brothers, Arthur and Karl, to spend the Fourth.

C. C. Brown, the veteran postal clerk whose health has not been the gossip of possibilities is extraordin- next week for Mineral Springs for an indefinite stay, where he hopes to be greatly benefited.

A party was given by Mr. and Mrs. William Coriell of North Findlay street Friday evening in honor of the birthday anniversary of their daughter, Miss Alma.

Mrs. Marie Schirrmann is visiting relatives at Chillicothe.

Miss Grace Vogler of Charlotte, N. C., is the guest of her sister, Mrs. O. N. Barnhart.

Mrs. Charles Reinhart of Franklin avenue, was host at Friday evening's meeting of Woman's Auxiliary to Sons of Veterans business and social session. The next meeting will be an outing at Millbrook July 15th.

The following group will [illegible] old Osborne Homestead. at

Walking Suit Of Mohair

PHOTO [illegible]

For morning walks in the Bois de Boulogne, a young [illegible] has ordered this costume of blue mohair. The skirt, of trotter length has a deep yoke, elongated to a panel in the front that supports triple box plaits at the back and sides.

The semi-fitted coat has a low rolling collar, turned back cuffs embroidered with silk and two fancy frogs.

The turban, of pale blue net over pink chiffon, is wreathed with tiny roses in pastel shades.

Wheelersburg, next Wednesday, for a week's sojourn with board at the Hartman House, Mrs. Geo. Small and daughter, Miss Louise Small, Miss Clara Waller, Mrs. Fred Hungerford, Mrs. W. R. Fee and mother, Mrs. W. W. Stanton of Cincinnati. Others will visit this group during the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene M. Pierce and daughter Miss Grace, will leave Saturday afternoon for Cincinnati to spend the Fourth with their uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Erastus Kelley of Kennedy Heights.

Miss Emily Connell will be host at next Friday afternoon's meeting of the Young Women's Sewing club which [illegible] at the home of Miss Emma [illegible]son.

On July 3rd Miss Lena Zoeller will wed Mr. James [illegible] an [illegible] at the home of her parents in Rushtown. Rev. A. D. [illegible] will officiate. A dance at Rushtown July 4th will be given in honor of the bride and groom.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hel[illegible] Mr. and Mrs. [illegible] [illegible] Wednesday, June 22, at the home of her parents [illegible]

Mr. [illegible] [illegible]

On Sunday Mr. [illegible] [illegible] July 4th [illegible]

Master Walter Marting of Ironton is [illegible] mother, Mrs. [illegible]

The following group of relatives recently picnicked at Millbrook, Mr. and Mrs. John Heer, Mrs. Mary de Bruin Heer, Mrs. Chris Heer and son Master Marc de Bruin Heer, Mrs. Frank

Adams and son, Mr. Frank Adams, Misses [illegible] and Ella Perry of Buena Vista are visiting friends here.

Dr. and Mrs. S. H. McKerr have as guest [illegible], Miss Margaret [illegible] of Columbus.

Among recent groups attending the Casino after picnic supper at Millbrook were Mr. and Mrs. G. T. Elliott, daughters, Misses Edith and Gertrude Elliott and Mrs. George Abernathy of Columbus, and Miss Fannie Dun[illegible]

Mrs. Charles [illegible] will be [illegible] the Central [illegible] Miss [illegible] [illegible]

Miss H[illegible] [illegible]

[illegible]

Mrs. Charles S[illegible] who has been [illegible]

Miss Muriel Potter and guest,

Miss Edith Dodds of Radford, Va., have gone to Faverty Camp, near Rushtown, to spend the glorious Fourth, with a group of relatives.

Mrs. Howard S. Eards will be host at next Friday's regular meeting of the Country club.

Mr. Ernest Kelley has returned from a visit to Cincinnati.

The All Saints Episcopal choir girls have decided to remain at Camp Brookside until after July 5th.

Mesdames Theodore Doty, B. H. Harris and Henry Kevare will be hosts at a July outing, under the auspices of Second Presbyterian Woman's Missionary Society.

Little Miss Millred Prichard is visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Nagelcisen of Camp Arion.

Mrs. Albert Morrison of Buena Vista, who has been visiting relatives in Columbus arrived at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Maurice Cot, Friday evening and Saturday went home.

The home of Mrs. W. H. Schwartz will be the scene of a Kensington benefit for First Presbyterian Young Woman's Missionary society next Thursday afternoon.

Misses Henrietta Stahl and Gertrude Elliott will leave next Wednesday for Chautauqua, N. Y., to study six weeks course in kindergarten training.

Mrs. J. L. Watkins will be host at the July 12th meeting of the Hamilton Whist the last meeting of the season.

Mrs. F. E. Duduit, Jr., and children will picnic July 4th at the old Duduit homestead on East Second, as Mr. Duduit, a mail clerk, cannot be at home to go further afield with his family excepting long enough to eat noon picnic lunch.

Miss Flay Hammond of Wisconsin, the local deaconess, who rooms at the Duduit homestead, will also be one of the picnic party. As guest of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Oakes, Miss Alice Duduit will be present when the French Grant telephone subscribers will participate in a basket picnic on July 4th in the church yard.

Mr. Charles Flynn has as guests his sisters, Misses Lillian and Florence Flynn of Chillicothe, who recently also visited relatives in Washington C. H.

Mr. and Mrs. Philo S. Clark had as company in an auto ride along the ideal river road to Buena Vista, Friday evening, Mr. and Mrs. John G. Reilly and Miss Kate M. Reilly.

Mr. and Mrs. C. N. Searl, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Irish of Ironton will leave next Wednesday in the Searl auto for Detroit, Mich., to visit Mrs. Searl's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Oren Hulett.

On Friday afternoon, from four to six o'clock, Mr. and Mrs. Louis S[illegible], of 122 East Eighth, right royally entertained the following children with a pretty party in celebration of the seventh birthday anniversary of their little daughter, Millred:

Margaret Stalder, Mildred Werner, Ethelyn Johnson, Ruth Schmidt, Margaret Sickles, Austin Krick, Gladys Reinhart, Raymond and Donald Russell, Dorothy Berndt, Dorothy Dick, Louise and Edna May Keiser, Gladys Selby, Gladys Reinhart, Edna Thompson, Ruth Baker, Clara and Helen Bridges, Katharine Herms, Ruth Atlas, Ruth Streich, Helen Patterson, Ruth Sprague, Mary Esther Bagby and brother, Margaret Wertz, Joanne Powell, Ruth Oldfield, Stewart Leichner, William Yost, Elizabeth Wyeth, Mrs. Charles Winter's grandson, Master Walter Marting, son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Marting, of Ironton; Mrs. George Johnson's nieces, little Misses Mary Lynn and Alice Kate Field, of Augusta, Ky.; little Miss Helen Dorff, of Martins Ferry, who is visiting her relatives, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Woodrum; Mr. and Mrs. George Watkins' grandchildren, Dorothy and George Watkins, of Columbus.

In entertaining the children with games, music, a balloon ascension and fireworks of a wild nature, the mother of the little hostess was ably aided by Alma and Bertha Reuppel, Mesdames Albert Krick and George Johnson. Four was the number of kindergarten tables on the lawn and beautiful was the picture of the group, taken by a locally famous artist, Mr. Virgil Fowler, while the merry group of daintily attired children eat at the feast of refreshing viands, so beautifully served, the tables all being beautifully adorned with June flowers. Little silk flags and parcels of electric sparks were the favors presented each child to carry home as mementoes of a most joyous occasion, of which it is hoped Millred will enjoy many happy returns.

Among groups recently enjoying the play at the Casino were Misses Louise Small, Gertrude Davidson, Eleanor and Margaret Wilhelm, Frances Higgins, Grace Wendelken.

Mr. and Mrs. James S. Pearce will chaperone the following group on a July 4th outing to their camp near Glen Hunt: Mr. Starling Pearce and guest, Mr. Norman Oart of Toronto, Canada, Misses Pauline Wilhelm, Beatrice Nave, Margaret Klingman, Teresa Kennedy, Messrs. Charles Nichols, James and Geo. Pearce.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Spencer entertained at dinner Friday evening in honor of a bride and groom, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Maxwell of Columbus. Others present were Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Kennedy, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Graham, Mr. Finley Clayton and Miss Nan Spencer. Sweet peas were the floral garnishments of the perfectly appointed table at which the excellent menu of many courses was beautifully served.

Rev. Frank Gillilan, district superintendent of the M. E. church, is guest of Rev. and Mrs. J. N. Eason.

Mr. and Mrs. George Marting and children Wister, Frank and Adelbert of Columbus, will be guests of honor in a family picnic July 4th at the home of Mr. Marting's parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Marting or at the Marting outing place, their plans being not fully formulated.

Mr. and Mrs. George Johnson's visitors, Mr. and Mrs. Fields left Saturday for their home in Augusta, Ky.

Mrs. Charles Holcomb and her daughter, Virginia Piqua, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Walter Marting of Ironton, formerly of this city.

Mrs. Otto Marting and children of Ironton and aunt, Miss Mary Helt of this city are in Charlevoix, Mich., to visit Mrs. Marting's brother and Mrs. Marting's sister, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Marting. Mr. Fred Winter, a brother of the Mesdames Marting will leave July 16th for Europe. Their mother, Mrs. Charles Winter, will soon go to Hamilton, Canada, to visit at the home of her son, Mr. William Winter.

Mr. Charles Turley has as guest at Camp Brookside, a college chum, Mr. Hamilton Hayden of Saskill, N. Y. Others in camp are Messrs. H. A. Marting, William Thomas, George Corson. The party will remain until after July 4th.

Among recent merry groups who picnicked at Millbrook and attended Casino were Misses Lillian Hancock, Oletia Bush, Pearl Rhodes, Ethel Doerr, Katharine Halderman, Messrs. Lynn Wittenberg, Guy Moore, Donald Brown, Harold Robertson, James Pearce.

Mrs. Val Sommelbeck will entertain the Peerless Card club on Wednesday of next week.

The following group of young girls were delightfully entertained at Musser's Camp on Brush Creek in honor of Miss Isabel Musser's visitor, Miss Guida Renfrew of Coshocton, Misses Persis and Marjorie Pursell and visitor, Miss Gladys Ford of Kingston, Misses Bess Rowe, Laura Rowe, Mary M. Fuller, Sadie Kricker, Addie and Anna Merrill, Louise Fee, Beatrice Nave, Lucile Gerhart, Bertha Brand and Miss Marjorie Pearce of Lancaster, guest of Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Alspaugh. The Musser party will not return home until after July 4th on which day they will entertain other visitors.

Miss Stella Rowe with Miss Mary Yingling of Gervais, are visiting relatives, Mr. and Mrs. John Rogers of Washington C. H.

Mr. William Ferguson will spend July 4th at Charleston and Kimberlay, W. Va., as guest of relatives, Mr. and Mrs. John Cavlish and family at the first named place and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ferguson of the last named place.

The Monday [illegible] club will adjourn until Fall.

Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Kelley and Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Kelley, and Miss Katherine Kelley and Mr. H. F. Hamilton will make an outing party to Crichton's Inn July 4th.

A CHILD'S BATHING SUIT

PHOTO BY [illegible]

[illegible] mohair or some other [illegible] fastened by three buttons at the side. [illegible] The little cap sleeves are trimmed [illegible] and the belt, which lends [illegible] as a similar trimming. Little girls as well as boys wear these suits.

LITTLE GIRL'S PLAY FROCK

PHOTO BY VIVIAN [illegible]

A little girl when playing does not care to be "dressed," but wants a loose little garment that [illegible] soiled, can be tubbed. Such a frock is illustrated here.

This little dress is of heavy white [illegible] in one piece, has side plaitings from shoulders, and is [illegible] waist line with a dark red patent leather belt.

The nautical collar of dark red linen braided with white is the only trimming. Worn with this is a dark red tie of soft silk.

This model developed in white mohair would give excellent service for the winter.

A bride and groom, Mr. and Mrs. William Hamilton of Elfort, have been entertaining a house party of Portsmouth friends, Misses Emma Edwards, Ruth Ferguson, Maude Anderson, who returned home Saturday.

Mrs. Katharine Williams and Mrs. Mary Williams, who have been visiting their relatives, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Morgan have returned home to Oakhill.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Clark and baby Howard have returned from a visit to Mrs. Clark's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Selby of Toledo.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Bridges, Miss Rozella Grimes, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Bridges and baby, William, Mrs. J. J. Davidson, were among recent picnic groups at Millbrook.

Mrs. Thornton Burke, Albert Simpson, Mrs. Frank McColm left Friday for Wollaston, Mass., to visit their relatives.

In honor of Miss Dorothy Holton, of Ironton, Miss Vincencia De Luca very delightfully entertained the following little friends Saturday afternoon at the home of Judge and Mrs. J. W. Bannon, where she resides, Elizabeth Bannon, Clementine Knost, Margaret Bode, Edna Harak, Lena Marshall, Mabel Baey, Rachel Swearingen, Myrtle Williams, Margaret Young. Games and music preceded refreshments of rare excellence at this pretty house and lawn party.

OF INTEREST TO WOMEN

While lacings on gowns are a new feature, the fashion is becoming exceedingly popular, for lacings appear in every place where an excuse can be found for them.

Blouses and [illegible] are laced down the left side with soft ribbons instead of with hooks or buttons.

The sides of tunics frequently show lacing connections, while many blouses are slashed in the front at the outer edge of the [illegible] [illegible] display [illegible] threadings of [illegible] fashion.

Among the [illegible] waist and skirt intended to be worn together is a [illegible].

The waist is of pure white [illegible] neatly tailored and trimmed with [illegible]. The turn back Dutch collar and [illegible] are edged with red [illegible]. The price is $3.75, reduced from $5.75.

The skirt is of imported white [illegible] front with detachable pearl buttons. This costs $4.75 also, and [illegible] the same [illegible] as the waist.

A smart belt to complete the costume is of patent leather in white, red or black, price ninety-five cents.

Transfer papers are great conveniences to the woman who is skilful with the needle, for among them she can find designs suitable alike for every article, whether for the wardrobe or house.

This saves time in sending goods to be stamped. The transfer patterns are also cheaper.

The process is so simple too that [illegible] it in her own home or [illegible] on vacation.

[illegible]

FOR GOOD BREAD USE GOOD FLOUR—MAGNOLIA.

Like Circus Day Was Big Lot Sale At Fullerton, Ky.

The auction sale of the Morton addition to Fullerton, Ky., Friday afternoon was a big affair and was the first of its kind that has ever been conducted around Portsmouth. The sale was prompted by the Bowman Realty Co. of Huntington and the auctioneer was Col. T. S. Combs of Huntington. The lots went like ice cream cakes on a hot day to the tune of brass bands, fire works and occasional bursts of oratory and wit from the Colonel.

Refreshments and soft drink men who were on the grounds reaped a harvest, as the throng of between 800 and 1,000 people was both hungry and thirsty. The crowd was good natured and not an incident occurred to mar the day. The grounds resembled circus day or county fair, as many families made the occasion a gala one, and there were a number of small children running about the place.

The lots in the south-west corner sold fastest and the price of the lots decreased as the auctioneer reached the other side of the field.

The speed in selling the lots was remarkable, less than three minutes being consumed at times between the sales.

Col. Combs, the auctioneer, was a whole show in himself and he kept the crowd in a continual uproar of laughter. The Colonel's humor was of the kind that stung but as few in the gathering escaped, it was taken good naturedly.

The upper ferry had been chartered to make trips direct to the scene of the sale which was on the Kentucky side of the river opposite the N. & W. Terminals.

A fair crowd went over on the ferry but the majority of the people at the sale were from nearby points in Kentucky.

During the afternoon the report that a boy had been drowned in the river at Coney Island drew a large crowd to the river banks, but the report was found to be untrue. It was later learned that a boy was said to have been drowned late Friday afternoon about five miles up the river.

During the sale there was a continuous parade of the thirsty ones from the grounds to the Flip establishments at Fullerton, but there was no Flip on the grounds, only lemonade and pop, with some river water thrown in as a chaser.

Twenty nine lots had been sold at four o'clock Friday afternoon at prices ranging from $90.00 to $150.

The following purchased lots:

L. F. Montgomery, one lot.
Dr. B. F. Bennett, three lots.
M. K. Hatcliff, four lots.
J. L. Hannah, two lots.
L. U. Hopkins, three lots.
Jas. Hunter, two lots.
Frank Brown, one lot.
O. F. Covert, one lot.
Mrs. Louisa George, one lot.
Dr. A. J. Bryson, one lot.
Mrs. Sarah Farr, two lots.
N. H. Brown, one lot.
John Hale, two lots.
T. A. Traylor, one lot.
Louis Glockner, one lot.
W. W. Warnock, two lots.
A. E. Drennen, one lot.

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A FINE CITIZEN GONE TO HIS REWARD

The families of Mrs. Ellen Stanton and Vallea Harold received the sad news from Lancaster, Friday evening of the death there of Mr. John Zink, father of Miss Blanche Zink, who was a school mate of Mrs Harold at St. Mary's of the Springs and who has been a frequent guest in her mother's home. Mr. Zink was a prominent merchant whose kindly nature and countless benefactions gave him the fine distinction of being Lancaster's best and most charitable citizen. His illness extended over a year, and the crisis came shortly after the time when hope began to rise for his early and complete recovery.

COMPLAIN OF PROWLERS

Residents of the vicinity of Fifth and Broadway complained to the police late Friday night about some rough looking man prowling about their homes. Officer Shields was hurried to the scene but was unable to find any sign of the prowlers.

In Now In Huntington

C. C. Rand, former local telephone man, who failed in an attempt to elope with a West End young woman a week ago, is now reported to be in Huntington. The young woman has been in bed all week from nervous shock.

W. J. Bennett, of Union Mills, is sporting a fine new buggy.

Story Is Denied

Officers Stokely and McCarty were summoned to 1315 Union ... Saturday morning, where it ... reported a man by the name of ... was abusing his aged ... When the officers arrived ... herself denied the ... which was sent in by neighbors and stated that her son was ... support and never attempted to do her any wrong whatever.

WOODMEN HAD FINE TIME

... Modern Woodmen met for a ... social time at their hall, ... and Chillicothe streets, Friday ... Some new candidates ... were expected to be ... on account of the intense hot weather, initiation ... were postponed. The ... was spent in talking and ...

... Frank Goltz of West ... street, is laid up with ... of the face.

Crazy Woman Causes Alarm

Much uneasiness has been caused in the vicinity of Twelfth and Chillicothe streets the past few days and nights by the actions of Mrs. Lucy Byers, who is rapidly losing her mind.

Late Thursday night Mrs. Byers, who is the wife of William Byers, an N. & W. round house employe and daughter of Henry Leichner, a retired cooper, escaped the vigilance of the family and broke from the house attired only in her night clothes. She knocked at the door of Frank Hastings, a next door neighbor, and asked for a razor declaring she was going to cut her throat. She was persuaded into returning home.

Mrs. Byers again managed to escape from the house Friday afternoon and dropped out of sight. Relatives at once feared she may have gone to the river and had drowned herself. A search was instituted and police were notified. Later the woman was found seated in a corner of a coal shed at the rear of Mrs. Charlotte Reeg's home.

Close watch has since been kept on the unfortunate woman. Her condition is the result of a nervous breakdown. Her mother and a sister died at the State hospital, a brother Henry is now confined there and one brother died in the State epileptic hospital.

When Work Started Down In Maysville

The Maysville Bulletin of Friday said:

"Friday morning about nine o'clock a force of about twenty-five laborers, employed by Kelley Bros. of Portsmouth, who have the contract for paving Market street, were put to work tearing up the concrete Esplanade, preparatory to bricking that thoroughfare.

"The work of demolition was started amidship and soon the hammers and pick-axes had made great inroads on the elevation. At the time of writing this item — 9:30 o'clock—the tear-up continued, watched by a large crowd of spectators.

"Mr. F. Devine and representatives of the Odd Fellows, adjacent property owners, protested against the removal but, we understand, took no legal action to prevent it."

Red Cross shoes are comfortable.

Are Scared By Boys

Sergeant Dan Buckley averted a runaway accident at Ninth and Chillicothe streets Friday night. Boys shooting Roman candles scared a horse attached to a buggy occupied by two women and a little girl. The animal started into a wild gallop but Dan rushed into the street and seizing the reins soon had the horse under control. He did not learn the names of the women who seemed greatly frightened.

Lou Adams, Jr., has given up a position as clerk at Wurster's Annex.

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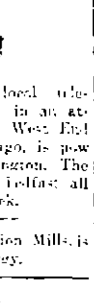

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SIDEWALKS ORDERED ON TWO BIG STREETS

City council at its caucus Friday night approved the plan of Mayor Searcy providing for uniform sidewalks along Chillicothe and Gallia streets.

City Solicitor Horace L. Small was instructed to take steps compelling property owners on Chillicothe from Second to Ninth, and Gallia from Chillicothe to Offnere to put down new concrete walks, and unless same was done within a short time the city is to do the work and assess the cost against the properties. The mayor said that Chillicothe street had uniform sidewalks now on both sides from Second to Gallia, with the exception of two lots.

Alex Jordan appeared before council in the interest of York place playground. He reported that $1300 had been raised, $600 by the club women of the city and the balance donated by six different men. This amount was just sufficient to equip the grounds. He asked council to furnish free water for the wading pool, also the necessary pipe for draining same. Engineer Hudson estimated that $100 would cover this expense, for some old pipe and valves now on hand could be used. Council accordingly appropriated $100 for that purpose.

Councilman Clifford Smith presented a big petition asking for a sewer between Eleventh and Twelfth and running from Lincoln to Clay. The property owners, 40 in number agreed to make taps, but as all money appropriated for sewers was for those now under construction a bond issue will likely be necessary. The sewers built are all paying for themselves through property owners making taps, but the money thus derived does not go back into the sewer fund, instead going to the sinking fund. Mr. Smith also reported that Monroe and Lawson street property owners were complaining that their streets had not been improved and that something should be done to relieve the imperfect drainage.

Council considered that these property owners should petition for the paving of their streets and they would likely be improved as there are no alley intersections and therefore little cost to the city.

The cleaning of alleys was discussed at some length. All seemed to hold the opinion that the present system of cleaning is not effective and where possible, property owners should furnish material and the city will do the work of paving.

Deputy State Fire Marshal Ed Donovan, of Waverly, was a visitor here Friday.

Porch Climber At F. Switalski's Home

A porch climber entered the home of Sanitary Policeman Frank Switalski on Findlay street late Friday night. He was scared away by the screams of a young woman shoeworker rooming in a front upstairs room. Police were called but an examination showed nothing was missing, the burglar evidently having been discovered an instant after he had climbed through a window.

To Let Contracts For New Scale Pit

Contracts are expected to be awarded early next week for the new N. & W. scale pit or hump and a passageway underneath at the East Portsmouth Terminals. The passage way will be eight feet deep and of some width and walled in concrete. It will be sixty feet long and built directly underneath the two switch tracks of the hump over which all switching will be done by gravity as soon as the new west-bound yard is completed. Company employees in going to and from work will still have to cross the B. & O. S. W. track and two N. & W. tracks at the foot of Norfolk street but movement there will no longer be heavy.

The new planing mill, the contract for which was awarded the other day, will be located to the south-west of the car shops and near the new east-bound lead tracks.

Say Lawrence Is to Marry

West End friends of Lawrence Ferguson, a popular printer at the Patterson box factory, report that he is soon to wed a charming young woman of Market street.

Special Holiday Matinee at the Casino, July 4th. "Facing the Music."

"Moose" Melster has taken a job on one of Albert Maier's ice wagons.

Catsy Has Snakes Badly

"Catsy" Sly is still sojourning in the local lockup, subject to frequent attacks of "jimmies," and true to the promise of Mayor Searcy will stay there until after the Fourth.

Saturday morning Sly seemed to be out of his head. When Clerk Beaumont accosted him he sympathetically told the clerk that they would both get well soon, there was no need of fear. Sly mopped out the prison floor, and declared he did it for the sake of gratitude for the night's lodging given him by Chief Davidson.

Approach to New Depot

A big force of men began work Friday removing the curb on the Market street side of the new B. & O. S-W. freight depot to permit of the building of a level approach.

BOY STEALS A FINE HORSE

Roy Willis, a 13-year-old strip of a lad whose home is at Sunshine Ridge, Adams county, turned horse thief early Friday morning when he stole a fine iron gray mare belonging to Sherman Odle, a tenant on the John T. Miller farm near Pond Run and fled.

From all indications Willis had sought employment from Odle with that end in view, having appeared at the Odle home Wednesday evening and applied for work and he was hired as a sort of a gin hand about the farm. The boy evidently watched his chance and it came Friday morning, so arising before any of the Odle family had awakened, he quietly slipped from the house and going to the stable took the animal and escaped. When Mr. Odle got up and went out to feed the horse was missing and a little later he discovered that his youthful hired hand had also vamoosed. It quickly dawned upon him that the boys had stolen the mare and he lost no time in getting to Squire Orin Veasey's home where he secured a warrant for young Willis' arrest on a charge of horse stealing. Accompanied by Constable Levi Shaw the pair started in pursuit. The fresh tracks in the road furnishing a clue the direction taken by the thief, which was to the west and towards his Adams county home.

After an all day chase the youthful thief was caught at the home of his father, William Morris, late Friday night where he sought refuge after dark. The horse was recovered and the prisoner was brought back to Pond Run. He will be given a hearing Friday afternoon.

BACK AT DESK

George Goodman, of the Gilbert Grocery Co. who was injured in an auto accident near the Golf grounds several days ago, was able to be out again. Saturday morning and resumed his duties at the Gilbert Co. He was taken to his place of business in the same automobile, it, too, having "recovered" from injuries received in the accident.

Plan Trip In Canoe

Jamie Williams and Norman Baker, of Second and Union streets, went to Ironton on the Greyhound Friday evening carrying the canoe belonging to young Baker, in which they expected to make the trip back to this city.

Special Holiday Matinee at the Casino, July 4th. "Facing the Music."

Falls Into An Open Cellar

[illegible] daughter of [illegible] David Stewart [illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible] John W. Snyder, of the Portsmouth Banking company, [illegible] who has been [illegible] ill, is reported slightly improved.

STRIKE WILL LIKELY BE SETTLED

The dispatch in Friday's Times was the first inkling Kelley Bros. had that some of their brick men had gone on a strike at Maysville. It was quite a surprise to them for everything seemed satisfactory when Ed Kelley left there Thursday evening. The men who struck are chiefly from Lexington. They were receiving $1.50 per day while the experienced men taken down from here got $1.75 for all are first class bricklayers. They were in charge of Foreman John Shannon.

Joseph Kelley was the only member of the firm on the ground at the time of the strike and a detailed report was expected from him Saturday. It was stated by one of the firm that matters would likely be left in abeyance until after the Fourth.

Contractor Ed Kelley said Saturday that advices he had received from Maysville were that 25 men had gone out on a strike. They were principally men from Aberdeen. Their places have been filled and there are as many men working now as went out. He said the strike occurred at a good time for Saturday is a short day and with Sunday and Fourth of July coming he felt that his firm would be able to cope with the situation. They are paying $1.50 per day to their men which is as much as is paid by the city.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

Sealed proposals will be received by the Board of Education of the Portsmouth City School District, of Portsmouth, Scioto county, Ohio, at the office of the Clerk of said Board of Education until 12 o'clock, noon,

July 14, 1910,

for all labor and material required by the plans and specifications for the erection and construction of a three-story and basement brick fireproof high school building, on the lot situated on the northwest corner of Gallia and North Waller streets, Portsmouth, Ohio.

Plans and specifications will be on file at the office of the Clerk of Board of Education, Portsmouth, Ohio, and at the office of Mr. Albert Pretzinger, Architect, 1126 Reibold building, Dayton, Ohio, on and after June 22nd, 1910.

All proposals must be made according to law which requires that each item for work, labor and material must be bid upon separately.

Proposals must be made upon blank forms furnished by the Clerk of said Board of Education and Architect.

Each bid shall contain the name of every person interested in the same.

Proposals must be accompanied by a written guarantee of a Surety Company of approved standing, or at least two responsible disinterested freeholders of Scioto county, Ohio, as sureties, certified by the County Auditor, or a certified check of an amount equal to 10 per cent of the amount of the proposal submitted, that if the bid be accepted a contract will be entered into and the performance of it properly secured.

None but the lowest responsible bid shall be accepted.

The Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids, or accept any bid for both labor and material which is the lowest in the aggregate.

Bids must be enclosed in sealed envelopes, endorsed with the name of the bidder and marked "Proposal for the erection of a High School Building," indicating the items bid upon, and addressed to the Board of Education of the Portsmouth City School District, of Portsmouth, Ohio.

By order of the Board of Education of the Portsmouth City School District, Portsmouth, Ohio.

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WM. C. HAZLEBECK, Clerk.
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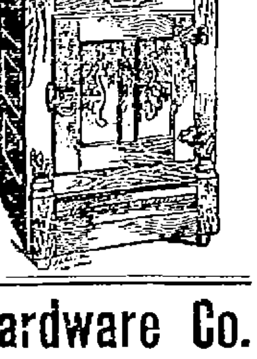

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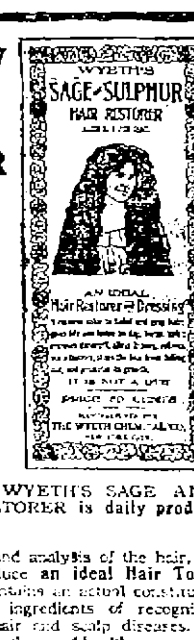

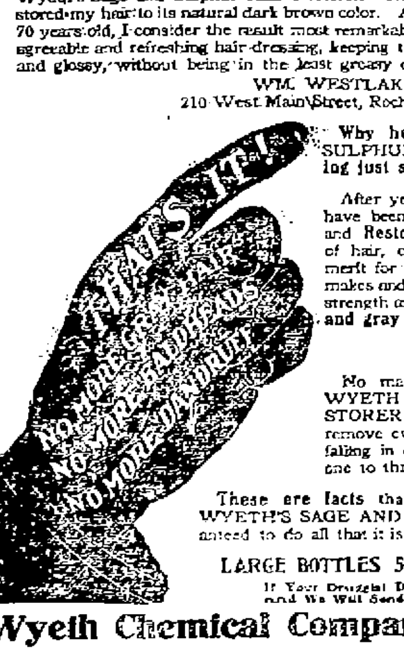

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Sunday Services

Sermons And Services at the Various Churches.

ALL SAINT'S
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Sunday school at 9 a. m. There will be no church services this Sunday. Next Sunday, July 10, Rev. W. H. Hampton, rector of Christ church, Ironton, will conduct the evening service, which will be the only one that day. No morning service.

Bigelow, M. E. Church.
Washington and Fifth Sts.
Jas. N. Eason, Pastor.

Sabbath school, 9 a. m., E. H. Clare, supt.; morning worship at 10 a. m.; anthem, "Send Out Thy Light," Gounod, by the choir; solo, "O God Have Mercy," Mendelssohn, Mr. Earl Stephenson, of New York City; sermon by the pastor, sermon theme, "Seeing Things Right-ly"; solo, "My God, My Father," Miss Ruth Draper, of Cincinnati. Communion service at the morning hour. Epworth League in upper chapel at 6:30, Mr. Charles Bennett, president; Class meeting in lower chapel at 6:30, Mrs. Bird, leader. Evening worship at 7:30 p. m.; anthem, "Praise Ye the Lord," by the choir; solo, Mr. Adam Barker; sermon by Dr. Frank [illegible], district superintendent. [illegible] welcome.

Trinity Methodist Episcopal.
Corner Gallia and Offnere Sts.
Rev. W. C. Hartinger, Pastor.

Sunday school, 9 a. m., W. B. Anderson, supt.; 10:30 a. m., Rev. A. D. Enyart, the assistant pastor, will preach; 6:30 p. m., Epworth league devotional service; 7:30 p. m., preaching by the assistant pastor, Rev. A. D. Enyart. Special music; large electric fans keep the church cool. Short services; you are welcome at Trinity, "a home like church is."

Manly M. E. Church.
Corner Eleventh and Clay Streets
J. W. Atkinson, Pastor.

There will be no services at Manly church Sunday owing to the state of the improvements being made to the building, but it is not expected to again interfere with services while the work is in progress.

German M. E. Church.
Cor. Fourth and Washington Sts.
Otto Giesen, Pastor.

Sunday school at 9:45 a. m., F. L. Marting, Supt. German preaching at 10 a. m. by the pastor. E. L. Devotional hour at 6:15 p. m. Preaching in English at 7 p. m. The pastor will preach on "A Declaration of Independence." This service will be patriotic in character. Prayer meeting on Wednesday at 7 p. m. Everybody is welcome at our services.

First Presbyterian
Corner Court and Third
John W. Dunning, Pastor.

Bible school, 9 a. m.; a good attendance last Sunday; let every member be present Sunday; men's class subject, "The Bible as Good Reading"; all men invited. Preaching at 10:30, sermon subject, "Jesus, the Rest Giver." Evening worship, 7 o'clock; the pastor will preach a patriotic sermon, "The Hand of God in the Nation"; this will be illustrated with beautiful colored stereopticon pictures; the list includes in part, Independence Hall, Bunker Hill, Mount Vernon, Giant Forest, First Thanksgiving, Landing of Columbus, Valley Forge, Falls of Yellowstone and Niagara, El Capitan, Orange Groves, The Ocean, Santa Barbara Mission, Grand Canyon, Mirror Lake, Portraits of Famous Americans and many others. The public is invited.

The Second Presbyterian
Eighth and Waller.
Charles S. Robertson—Pastor.

Bible school at 9, W. W. Gates, jr., supt.; everyone come; service at 10:30 during July and August; patriotic service at 7:30, with orchestra and three choruses—mixed, girls and male; special patriotic sermon; everybody welcome.

Central Presbyterian Church,
S. D. Conger, Pastor.

T. B. Heid, Supt.

Sunday school at 9:45, Mr. J. B. Heid, supt.; let every member be present at the communion service. In the evening the pastor begins his "Sunday Excursions to Cool Places for Hot Days;" on tomorrow night we go on an excursion to the "Springs of the Bible"; there will be the Sunday evening excursions, the "Springs of the Bible," to the "Rivers of the Bible," to the "Mountains of the Bible" be interesting to [illegible] of the excursions.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH.
The Auditorium, Cor. Gallia and North Waller.

Sunday school at 9 a. m., Douglas Miller, Supt. Evangelist Geo. F. Lowe will preach 10:45 a. m. and 7:45 p. m. B. Y. P. U. service at 6:45 p. m. Every person is welcome at all the services. Come and hear Rev. Lowe preach the gospel with the power of the Holy Spirit.

Kendall Avenue Baptist.
F. A. Maier, pastor, 1320 Offnere

Mr. Normal Wessel, Supt.

Our attendance at Sunday school was excellent last Sunday, notwithstanding the heat; let this record continue; our offering Sunday morning is for state missions; we want $15.00; at the close of the school there will be a service led by Mr. Miller. At 7:45 the pastor will speak on "Life's Railroad to Heaven"; all are cordially welcome and a special invitation is extended to men; excellent music appropriate to the occasion will be rendered. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening, at the close of which there will be a church business meeting.

New Boston Baptists.
Samuel Shoemaker, Supt.

Sunday school at 9:15 o'clock; at 10:30 the pastor will preach; subject, "Bugs with Holes"; at 7:30 Mr. Miller will conduct a gospel service; subject, "The Four Hew's." Friday evening the pastor will teach the Sunday school lesson.

FREE BAPTIST CHURCH.
Freeman W. Chase, Pastor.

Sunday school at 9 a. m.; at 10:15 a. m., Rev. Geo. C. Sprouse will preach; at the close of the morning service the ordinance of baptism will be administered by the pastor. Y. P. S. C. T. meetings at 1:30 and 6:30 p. m. Tuesday night, July 5th, the church will meet in monthly business session. Prayer meeting every Wednesday, 7:15 p. m. On Thursday, July 7, at 2 p. m., the Ladies' Missionary society will meet with Mrs. Kate Sprouse, No. 331 Highland avenue.

First Christian Church
Corner Third and Gay.
Edgar James Meacham, Pastor

"Fathers' Day" at our Bible school tomorrow; we begin at 9 o'clock; everybody invited. At the evening hour we are to have a great patriotic service; all the patriotic orders of the city have been specially invited by the official board of the church to attend this service; more than 2000 flags have been used in the house decorations; the auditorium is beautifully dressed in Old Glory; come and see; special patriotic music by the choir, male quartette and men's classes; Miss Allen Terry and Mr. N. B. Crabtree will each sing a solo. The lantern views will be very pretty and appropriate; Mr. Gillette will operate the lantern; no pains have been spared to make this a great service.

Grandview Ave. Christian.
A. Preston Gray, Pastor

Bible school at 9 a. m.; please don't let the hot weather affect our school, but it surely will if it keeps you away; so come. Preaching, 10:30 a. m., subject, "The Patriotism of Today." Junior, 2:30 p. m.; C. E., 6:30 p. m.; sermon, 7:30 p. m., subject, "Bad Manners." Official board meeting Tuesday evening. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening; you are invited.

United Brethren Church.
Corner Seventh and Guy Sts.
W. H. Howard, Pastor.

Sabbath school at 9 a. m.; our school is a spiritual one and you would be delighted to be in it. Preaching in the morning and evening by the pastor; morning subject at 10 o'clock, "Prayer in its Fullness"; in the evening there will be patriotic services; the subject, "The Fourth of July, What it is and What it Should Be." Sen. Y. P. C. E. at 6:30 p. m.; general prayer meeting at 7:30 on Wednesday. The sun does not get too warm for the able-bodied true worker.

Patriotic Services.

On Sabbath evening there will be patriotic services at the United Brethren church. "What the Fourth of July is and What it Should Be," will be discoursed by the pastor. The public is invited to worship with us and we extend a special invitation to all the old soldiers. Many interesting historical thoughts will be brought to your notice. Let us honor the day for which it took so much of the best blood of our forefathers to obtain.

MEMORIAL SERVICES.
At Pleasant Green Baptist Church
Sunday, July 3, 1910.

Preaching, 11 a. m., by pastor. Sunday school, 2 p. m., E. W. Hubert, supt. Lord's supper, 3 p. m. 8 p. m., memorial services in honor of the faithful who labored in Pleasant Green:

Singing chorus, conducted by Mrs. William E. Haley.

Invocation, Miss Mary Washington.

Singing, chorus, "Shall We Gather at the River."

Scripture reading, by the pastor.

Singing, chorus.

History of Pleasant Green, by Rev. William R. Rutherford.

Biography of the deceased, by Rev. A. Haley and George Taylor.

Singing, chorus.

Paper, "Departed Saints," Mrs. Emma White.

Singing, by chorus.

Biography of the Noble Deceased Women, by Mrs. Mary Crenshaw, Mrs. Kittie Williams, Mrs. Davidson.

Offering, received by Miss Bertha Haley.

Singing, "Over the River, Faces I See."

Public invited. Seats free.

Allen A. M. E. Church,
(Colored.)

Quarterly meeting services at Allen A. M. E. chapel, Rev. W. P. Meyers, pastor. Sunday school at 9 a. m.; preaching at 10:30 a. m., by Rev. C. S. Geo, presiding elder of the Cincinnati district of the Ohio A. M. E. conference; the holy communion will be administered at 3 p. m.; the Allen C. E. league will meet at 6 p. m.; preaching by the presiding elder at 7 p. m., and quarterly conference following the sermon Wednesday evening. All are welcome.

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The River City band concert at Millbrook park Sunday evening, July 3rd, under the direction of George A. Kelk, is as follows:

March—Stars and Stripes Forever ..... Sousa
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(a) The Star Dreamer .. Bendix
(b) Wild Cherry Rag .. Snyder
Descriptive, Military Fantasie—The Battle of San Juan Hill, July 2, 1898 ..... Al C. Sweet

SYNOPSIS.

The sleeping camp. Dawn appears. Cocks crowing, birds singing. Breakfast call is heard, and the camp is soon in motion. Assembly call. The infantry form in battle line and march to the scene of action. Adjutant's call. The calvary approaches. Battle prayer. The battle is on. Grand melee of infantry, calvary and artillery, firing of cannon, rapid fire guns, etc. Triumph of American arms. The Star Spangled Banner. Finale.

Overture—Poet and Peasant .. .. Suppe
Sounds from the Sunny South ..... Eisenman
Finale—Daughters of America ..... Lampe

Expect Crowd

Indications are that an immense crowd will attend the colored K. of P. outing at Coney Island, July 4th.

The chief attraction will be a ball game between the Buckeyes of this city and the fast Cliffords of Charleston, W. Va. A ball will be given at Wilhelmi hall in the evening. Frank Parker, Seymour Payne and Floyd Jameson compose the committee on arrangements.

BALLOON FALLS ON STABLE

A burning balloon fell in the rear of Dr. G. Wash Williams' home on Grandview street Friday night and lay upon the roof of his stable for some time before discovered. When the ball of oil flame was lifted it was found that a small portion of the roof was on fire. The blaze was extinguished with little trouble.

Cheap shoes at the Annex.

FIRST ACCIDENT BY TOY PISTOL

Earl Larkins, aged 19, shoe worker, of 103 Twelfth street, is the first victim of a toy pistol accident and is suffering terribly at his home with a pistol wound through the palm of his left hand.

A pistol, the usual fatal kind shooting blank cartridges, was purchased of Leo Griebel on North Waller street by a brother of the boy who was shot, Friday afternoon. The boy lay the pistol on the mantel on returning home where his elder brother had picked it up and looked at it. He placed the muzzle of the gun against his palm when the cartridge in some manner exploded and the wadding, together with a small B-B bullet which the brother, Herbert, had placed in the cartridge, passed through his hand making a bad hole.

Young Larkins was sitting in his door when Officer McCarty passed by and told him to see a doctor before he had lockjaw. The policeman also confiscated the gun which was turned over to Chief Davidson.

Griebel, who sold the pistol, is a cigar dealer, and claims that he knew nothing of the rule of the board of health that such shooting apparatuses should not be sold. Chief Davidson has the matter of prosecution of the dealer under consideration.

Special Holiday Matinee at the Casino, July 4th. "Facing the Music."

Mrs. Thomas McConnell is expected Sunday from her home in St. Paul, Minn., to visit Mr. McConnell's relatives, whom Mr. McConnell will visit later.

STOMACH LIVER LUNGS

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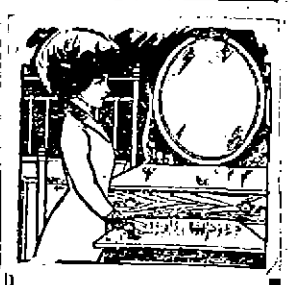

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EAST END WAS SCENE OF AN EXCITING FIGHT

Premature celebration of the Fourth, Friday night, resulted in a big fight, in which several men and women, including a policeman, were badly used up at the corner of Gallia and Lawson street. A mob of 250 people threatened all sorts of dire things until Chief Davidson and a re-enforcement of officers arrived on the scene.

Trouble started when several boys threw some lighted cannon-crackers at Niel Nourse and Iown Conklin, two venerable East End citizens. The two men were sitting on a box near the Blake Block, talking to each other, when the boys opened up hostilities with them. The men were forced to resort to rocks and bricks to defend themselves from the small army of boys that soon gathered. Several men took sides with the abused pair and attempted to defend them. A free-for all fight followed.

Chief Davidson was at his home on Grant street when he heard the explosions of the cannon crackers and he hurriedly started out to put an end to the unlawful shooting. He stopped on Robinson avenue to reprimand some young boys when his attention was attracted by the noise of the crowd near Flood and Blake's drug store. What he saw when he turned the corner was a street full of angry people and in the center of the mob, a policeman, Officer Shields, wholly helpless to put an end to the disturbance or quell the frenzy of the crowd. When the ring leaders of the assault upon Nourse and Conklin discovered the Chief in the crowd they took to their heels and left the others to face the trouble. Several other officers arrived and lent aid to Shields and the Chief, who sent in a hurry call for the patrol which responded quickly.

When he was able to make himself heard the Chief commanded the crowd to disperse and a number on the edge stole away into the shadows. Some one yelled at Davidson, that if he arrested one man he'd have to take them all down, at which he replied that he certainly would if he had to cart the whole 200 of them to the stataion house.

Roman candles were shot off in every direction and some foolhardy youths were shooting directly across the back of a horse driven by two young ladies and a child. The horse made one plunge and started through the crowd when Officer Buckley grabbed the bridle and hung on until the animal was brought to a stop. The occupants of the buggy which was drawn by the horse were terrified.

It was almost one o'clock when the crowd was dispersed and the police returned to the station without an arrest. They made a diligent search for the ringleders, however, and have a few names of persons whom Chief Davidson will demand an explanation of the outrageous affair.

It is also quite probable that Nourse and Conklin, who were attacked by the boys with cannon crackers and roman candles may prefer charges against their assailants as several of them were recognized.

July Magazines

"Current Literature" for July contains an exhaustive record of the world events during the past month presented in an appetizingly tabloid form. All of it is there from "Teddy's Return" to ads for Olive pills. Current Literature can now be reckoned as one of the powers in magazinedom. Its field is unlimited by prejudices and the news is gathered by competent men. July's example of the magazine's efforts to set forth every noticeable event of prominence in the world today is well worth a readers' time. If you are in haste to get to the office and are also desirous of knowing what's doing before you go then, read Current Literature.

"The Family Pocketbook," and "Practical Views and Experiences of 300 Wives of Stingy and Generous Husbands," comprise the richest portion of "Good Housekeeping," bearing the July date. The stories the wives of those 300 husbands tell are not the kind that are aired in police court, but honest gossip that can be put to good advantage, and gossip of possibilities is extraordinary stuff. Just the thing for the woman who abhors tales out of school but is interested in knowing how much her friends' husband gives his wife to spend. The short stories in "Good Housekeeping" are not all built for women, a couple, in particular, being the kind of tales that men read in other publications. There is no shrinkage in the usual abundance of shop notes and hints on "Good Housekeeping."

Theodore Africanus posts another description of his jungle expedition in July Scribner's for which he has no doubt received his usual one dollar per word. "Camping on an Equatorial River" is the caption under which the article is printed. There are lots of wild and woolly pictures and judging from what they portray there are today many bereavements in the African animal homes. One short story in this July magazine [illegible] under the title is entitled "Wings of the Morning." The Times reader passed it up. It is the seventh "Wings of the Morning" that has been written during the last two years. William Tracey has the distinction of inventing this Jones or Smith of the magazine stories, earned by virtue of his novel published a number of summers ago with the same title. Calvin H. Luther is responsible for the "Wings" which adorn a page or so of Scribner's Magazine this month.

July Century's "New Fourth of July" is a just, practical plea for a saner celebration of Independence Day. Percy Mackaye conceived the ideas presented in the article and they are sound, logical truths. More of such men and such straighiforwards talks about mad celebration tactics on the Fourth and magazine readers will forget "didn't know it was loaded" experiences. In the same number of the Century is the last of a series of articles from the veritable Walter Camp on boat racing in America. "The Reaction in Russia" is a revelation of the reconstruction period in the Czar's nation. George Kennan, noted newspaper man and foreign correspondent, discovered the contents of the story while knocking about the "Nihilists," and how he smuggled the story of the dreadful situation by the penetrating eyes of the Russian guards, is a mystery yet to appear in Century.

William Dean Howells writes "My Memories of Mark Twain" for July Harper's in his own individual fashion. Harper's usual miscellany of stories of high literary merit are contained within the covers of this number.

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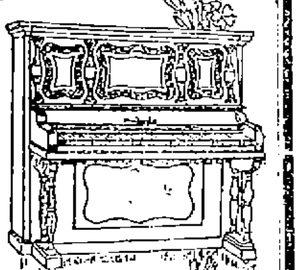

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Herb Corriell, the famed weather man "who always hits it kerplunk," was on the "great white way" last night. Herb says "it will be hot today, hot Sunday and hot and sultry the Fourth. Tuesday we will have rain, Wednesday storms, and cooler weather." Any way the last part in comforting.

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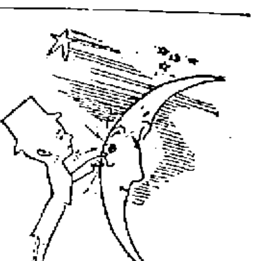

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Opens Up In New Location

John Moeller opened his meat market in the new location at Gallia and Gay streets Friday evening. The new store room is the property of Dr. J. N. Crawford.

The Street Railway company has a force of men at work repairing the tracks near the West End loop.

PUTS LID ON JOHNNIE

Chief Davidson promptly put a ban on the sale of fireworks on the street, Friday evening. By orders of the chief they were not to be sold on the street until on Saturday and when he discovered John Bienewaid's stand on the government square he promptly told John that he would have to cut it out until Saturday. John, more or less, gracefully obeyed the chief's command.

Girl Lost For Few Hours

Mary Darragh, a little barefooted nine-year-old girl, wandered away from her North End home Friday night and got lost. After a couple of hours' search Officer Sam Phillips located the child and restored her to the anxious parents.

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FINGER WAS DAMAGED

Orvill Roberts sustained a very bad sprained finger in the games at River City park Friday afternoon and may not be able to play with the Christian church boys in their game [illegible] Saturday afternoon. [illegible] Nos. 1 and [illegible] Saturday afternoon in the first [illegible] Nos. 2 and 4 met in the [illegible].

Injured In Park

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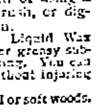

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TAYLOR TALKS OF HUNTING TRIP

Mr. Lafayette Taylor of Rarden, in a conversation with a Times reporter the other day, talked interestingly of his recent hunting trip in Mexico.

Mr. Taylor said that the most game was found in the Sierra Madre mountains, located in the states of Sonora and Chihuahua, Mexico, and many miles from any habitation of man. His party did not find much game until about one hundred miles from civilization.

"I did not kill as many deer as I could have as they were so plentiful which enabled me to kill nothing but choice bucks," said Mr. Taylor. "I brought the following trophies home with me and will have one of each kind mounted:

"Twelve bucks, 2 bears, 3 mountain lions, 3 wild hogs, 2 wolves, 2 wild cats, 3 coyotes, 1 otter, 4 gray foxes. Also some very nice specimens of birds, the white pelican, turkey, parrot and ivorybill.

Mr. Taylor said he could have killed many more deer if he had so desired. He would have been able to get more bear but he was there a little too soon for them as they do not come out from hibernating and were not very plentiful until the party were compelled to leave.

"The mountain lion is a very game animal," said Mr. Taylor. "I found them much more so than the bear and always ready to put up a serious defense. In fact he will charge if crowded too much. We were able to capture and put the ropes on one but he was very hard to control and we did not care to risk roping any others. The wild hog is also a very game animal, very sprightly on his feet and will run nearly as fast as the deer and is much more able to scale high rocks and ledges than any other animal I found. It was nothing unusual for him to jump off of rocks 15 or 20 feet high when going down into the canyons when we were after them. He will not charge or molest the hunter unless he is cornered, which is quite frequently and easily done when you find them in certain places in the deep canyons. They are great cave dwellers.

"The wolves are very cowardly and I could not induce them to put up much defense and when they were shot they did not die game like the hogs or lions. In fact they are very cowardly unless a great many of them are together.

"The wild cats are of medium size and much the same nature of the lion although they do not appreciate their power and are not quite so pretentious as the lion.

"The otter is a water animal and it is very difficult to find them where they can be shot without trapping.

"In the mountains of old Mexico there are no kind of deer but the white tail deer. The black tail deer inhabit the lower mountains further out into the plains. I did not take the time to hunt them. I might add also that he mountain sheep and antelope inhabit the same place as the black tail deer but they have become very scarce in that part of the country."

Where did you equip for the hunt, Mr. Taylor was asked.

"Before starting on my trip I made all arrangements with Martineau & Johnson, Colonia Pacheco, Chihuahua, Mexico. These two gentlemen are of high standing and make a specialty of furnishing all the outfits and conducting and guiding hunters from all parts of the world through the Sierra Madre mountains for hunting. I feel it my duty to speak in the highest of terms of these two gentlemen as I found them strictly reliable, truthful and competent. Mr. Johnson was with me on the entire trip. He employed one man for cook and furnished ten horses for mounts and for packing."

Socialist Column

(By ROBERT DODGE).

It is related of a certain Chicago banker, noted for his sunny disposition, who when asked the secret of happiness replied: "Marry early and make your business your pleasure." Very simple, but I think I hear some working man butt in at this point with the objection that it costs money to buy furniture and such things that are needed to start housekeeping. Well, may be the banker was only meaning his advice for bankers, at any rate, it will hardly apply to the young working man. Many of the latter class who have acted on this advice find the burden of maintaining a family so great under present conditions, that while they give all their attention to their business or work, they find no time to look for happiness. The average family consists of five persons. According to government statistics the average wages in industrial establishments is about $8.40 per week. At present prices the cost for food for a family of five will be close to $6.00 per week and the rent of a four-room house about $3.00. Not much left for clothes, recreation, &c. No wonder the young man hesitates to marry. Socialism is a friend to marriage. Under the present system of Capitalism hundreds of young girls are betrayed into white slavery for the sake of the profit there is in it. Many men and women who would like to marry are afraid to do so, and many very many who do marry are unable to raise their children as they should be raised. Socialism will insure employment to all, and the full social product of their labor, and under its beneficent rule all may marry who wish and there will be no more forcing women into white slavery.

The workers are demanding fewer hours for labor and more and better food, better clothes, better houses and more time in which to enjoy the good things of life; in brief an existence above the mere animal plane to which so many find themselves reduced today.

Socialism is not a mere scheme and it is not narrow. In fact it embraces all beliefs and all races of men and is world wide, and on all essential points is the same everywhere.

Now a word as to the red flag of Socialism. Socialists of America do not disown the stars and stripes, but would not do for England or other foreign countries. The red flag is typical of universal brotherhood and as such is used by Socialists in all countries; an international flag. Socialists stand by and uphold the principles set forth in the Declaration of Independence and propose to make those principles a real living, vital force in the affairs of the government of our nation. And they can and do sing "Rally 'round the flag boys" with as much vim and vigor as anybody, but they condemn the so-called patriotism of those men who would involve us in war in order to make profit for themselves and those who hide behind the folds of the flag while robbing their fellow men. But true patriotism, the love of home and country is a Socialist virtue and they want and mean to have a real home for all in this great country of ours.

Saved at Death's Door.

The door of death seemed ready to open for Murray A. Ayers, of Transit Bridge, N. Y., when his life was wonderfully saved. "I was in a dreadful condition," he writes; "my skin was almost yellow; eyes sunken; tongue coated; emaciated from losing 40 pounds, growing weaker daily. Virulent liver trouble pulling me down to death in spite of doctors. Then that matchless medicine—Electric Bitters—cured me. I regained the 40 pounds lost and now am well and strong." For all stomach, liver and kidney troubles they're supreme. 50c at The Fisher & Streich Pharmacy.

VERY ILL WITH TYPHOID

Ernest Harrison, a young married man, is very low with an attack of typhoid fever at the home of his father, George Harrison, at Pearl Run.

The young man was employed at the Veneer plant in this city until he took sick three weeks ago, and has many friends here who will be pained to learn of his condition.

He has been unconscious for the past two days and but slight hope is entertained for his recovery.

WILL MOVE TO COLUMBUS

Col. Floyd's L. Smith's family are packing up preparatory to moving to Columbus next Tuesday. Mrs. Smith it is understood has completed arrangements for opening a rooming house in the Capital City. The colonel will continue to remain here in his capacity as deputy stamp collector.

Save Winter's premium tickets.

Doctor Writes About Danger Of Lock Jaw

Editor Times:

Dear Sir: The Fourth of July is near and the season in which lockjaw is most frequent is here.

Last year just before the Fourth I saw an article in your noble paper which I thought was very impressive, as some good soul had expounded some of his scientific knowledge for the good of humanity, and I think this work should be kept up from year to year.

It has been the custom for many years to celebrate the Fourth in honor of the declaration of independence and the young American of today would rather do without his meals than fireworks at this time. As the result accidents always have happened and will continue to happen and many deaths will follow of which the majority can be prevented if only proper attention is given the victim.

Lockjaw is a comparatively rare disease, except after the Fourth of July celebration, when throughout the United States considerable number of cases develop. In some years more than 100 persons develop tetanus after blank cartridge wounds, where the tetanus bacillus enters the system.

In Portsmouth there is usually two, three or more cases of lockjaw added to the list each year, which is more than her part, according to the population, and it is hoped people will be wide-awake this Fourth and care for the victims as they should.

When a wound is made by blank cartridge or explosive of any kind, stop the hemorrhage by placing a handkerchief or cord above the wound if it bleeds in jets. If it bleeds steady place the tourniquet below the wound. Then consult your family physician at once and he will advise you as he thinks best. It matters not how small the wound is, just deep enough to cause a slight hemorrhage, and there is as much danger as to lockjaw as there is in a larger wound.

See your physician at once. He can prevent lockjaw from developing, but if you wait a few days and symptoms develop your physician can do you but little good, as nearly all these cases very promptly die.

Don't allow some wise relation to tell you what to use (as they always do)—poultices and salves will do no good but increase the danger.

Physicians will be expecting these cases on the Fourth and will have anti-toxine to immunize every victim if they only submit themselves to the proper treatment.

I have not written for fame or finance, but for good it may do in preventing lockjaw due to neglect of Fourth of July gunshot wounds.

PHYSICIAN.

Were Seen In Columbus

David Lewis of Third and Madison streets, got a tip Friday that his runaway wife and John Austin had been seen in Columbus.

Are Storing Their Goods

William Longshore and family of New Boston are storing their household effects. Mrs. Longshore will make her home with relatives at Ironton until they find a suitable home having been obliged to give up their present house. Mr. Longshore is employed at the steel plant.

Cheap shoes at the Annex.

VICTOR SLEPT ON CAR TRACK

Overcome by that tired feeling, a drunken man who later proved to be Victor Storer, a machinist employed at the N. & W. terminals, lay down on the street car tracks near his home at New Boston late Friday night and was come near being a serious blunder, as only the prompt action of a motorman saved the man from being crushed beneath the wheels of a street car.

Storer was resting his head on one rail while his feet extended across to the other rail and he was dead to the world, when a car westbound, came speeding along in charge of Motorman Elmer Hisp and Conductor Joe Turner. The car was almost upon the man before he was seen by the motorman, who immediately rings on the brakes and succeeded in stopping the car a half dozen feet away.

The man was aroused by the crash and returned to his home.

A report of the near accident was made to the street railway officials.

Exciting Scenes At Holy Roller Meeting

Chief Davidson expects to serve notice on the Holy Rollers to put an end to their meetings in the East End.

After the meeting Friday night when some of the followers began to faint and do other queer stunts, the wife of Rev. Craig, caused quite a commotion when she commanded the converts to cut out such foolishness and which was followed by Rev. Craig threatening to strike her with a umbrella.

Caught Mate To Joe's Eel

Officer Joe Stokely got a telephone message Friday informing him that John Hazelbeck had caught a mate to the eel landed by the former in Brush Creek a few days ago. It is of the same length 3½ ft. and Mr. Hazelbeck promised to send his catch to Joe.

WILL TAKE UP OFFERING

The annual Peter's pence offering will be taken up at the Catholic churches Sunday. This year the collection is taken up a few weeks earlier than usual for the reason that Bishop Hartley, of Columbus, expects to present it personally to Pope Pius, whom he expects to visit at Rome early in August.

Now Working For the N. & W.

Virgil Reese has quit the C. & O. and has entered the service of the N. & W. as yard switchman at East Portsmouth.

William Kellum and wife have moved into the Cadot property adjoining the Legler House.

Louis Weghorst is overhauling the roof of his West Second street grocery.

Graduates Take The Exams.

Twenty four applicants took the teachers examination at the Second street school building Saturday.

Eight graduates of the class of 1910 took the team and they are all hopeful of passing. The high school graduates who took the examination are Hattie Byron, Jean Berthold, Shirley Dodds, Helen Bau, Edith Knost, Mary Davidson, Mary Davis, Bessie McFarlane. In case they are successful in passing the examination they will probably teach in the Portsmouth schools next fall.

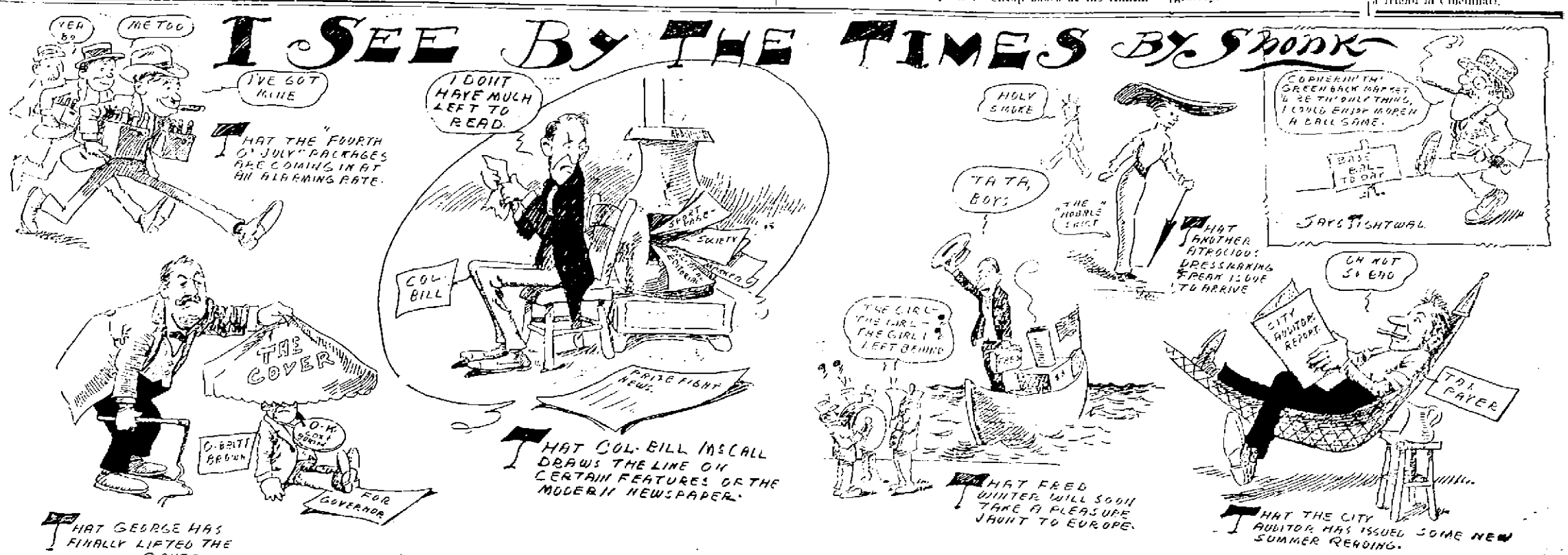
SELECT SITE OF CHURCH

George D. Selby and wife and Rev. J. W. Atkinson went to Ironton Saturday to meet the district committee on church locations and assist in choosing a site for a church at South Point.

300 Fans Are Donated

Mr. L. W. Bragdon has generously donated 300 fans to the First Christian church and they will be used for the first time in the great patriotic service tomorrow night.

Dr. Jos. Gills of the veterinary firm of Gills & Warrener, Friday received a fine coach dog from a friend in Cincinnati.

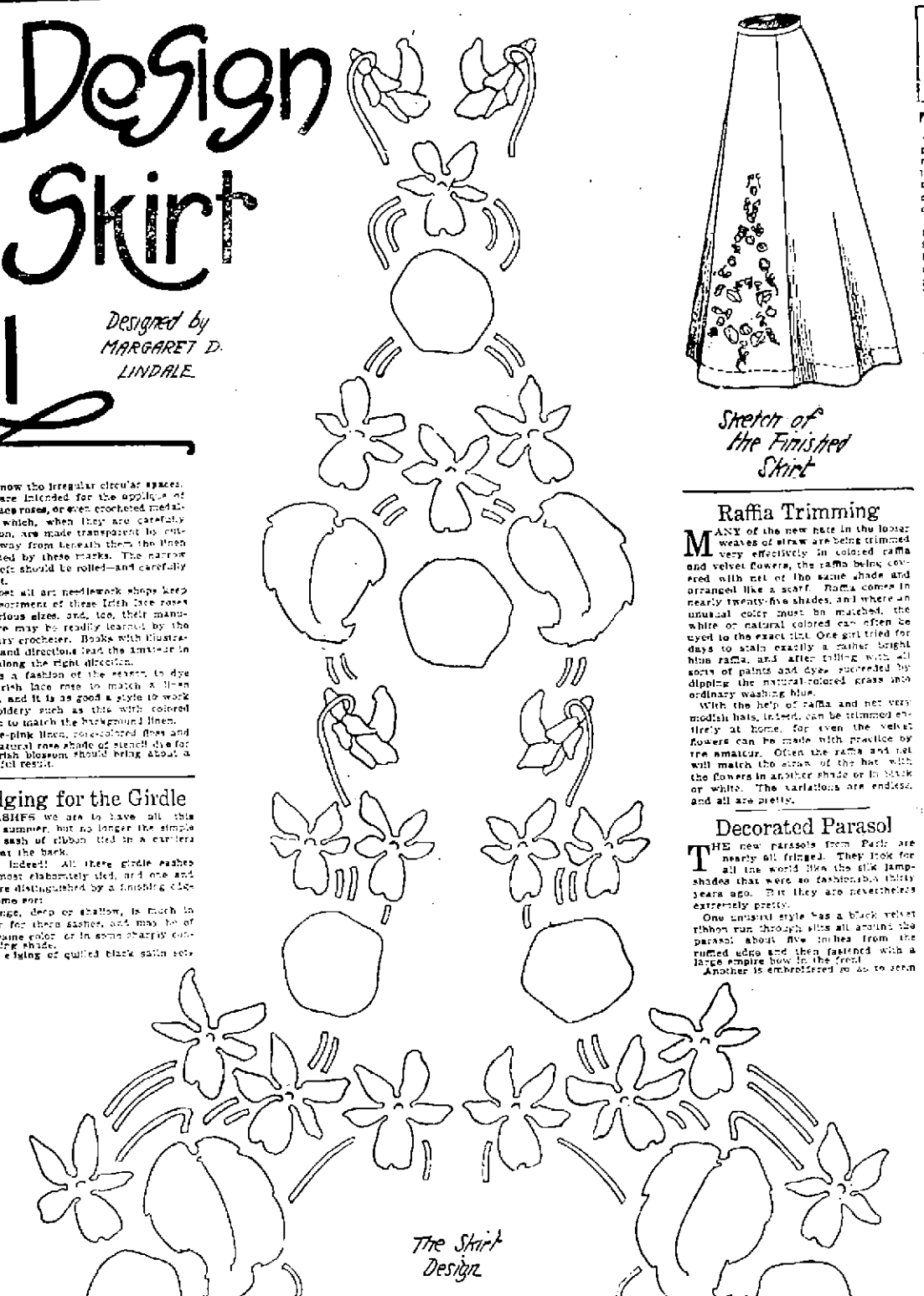


For the INDUSTRIOUS NEEDLEWOMAN

By ADELAIDE BYRD

Violet Design for a Skirt Panel

Designed by MARGARET D. LINDALE



Sketch of the Finished Skirt

NOW here is a skirt panel to fill the long-felt want of some of our waiting embroiderers. Not too late, I trust, to be available for the worker on the summer porch of some mountain hotel or in the delightful seclusion of home when the days are too warm for a livelier occupation.

Without cutting the front gore of the skirt so close to the pattern as to be in constant fear of marring your work, begin on the violets. Work them in padded solid stitch, the leaves the same way, or in skeleton long-and-short stitch, with a solid vein down the center; or, again, with one half solid and the other seeded.

The conventionalized stems which appear in most decorative sections are planned for over-and-over work or else for two rows of very careful outlining.

The full design will work out well in the outline alone if you prefer to make rapid work of it.

And now the irregular circular spaces. They are intended for the appliqué of Irish lace roses, or even crocheted medallions, which, when they are carefully sewn on, are made transparent by cutting away from beneath them the linen indicated by these marks. The narrow edge left should be rolled—and carefully at that.

Almost all art needlework shops keep an assortment of these Irish lace roses in various sizes, and, too, their manufacture may be readily learned by the ordinary crocheter. Books with illustrations and directions lead the amateur in lace along the right direction.

It is a fashion of the season to dye the Irish lace rose to match a linen frock, and it is as good a style to work embroidery such as this with colored cotton to match the background linen.

Rose-pink linen, rose-colored floss and the natural rose shade of stencil dye for the Irish blossom should bring about a cheerful result.

Hat-Scarfs

THE flat straw hats, something like a glorified pancake, so popular this summer, are usually trimmed with a large Alsatian bow in a distinctive and contrasting shade.

There is no reason, however, why these scarfs should not be adjustable, so that one hat may do the work and fill the office of many. For instance, a hat of this straw covered with white or black silk or chiffon on the brim may have a scarf of fringed silk (in the style beloved by our grandmothers). It may then be supplied with a taffeta bow edged with straw in the same shade as the hat itself; with a raffia scarf, a dashing adjunct to the new bagsacking costumes; with a suede or patent leather scarf, purchasable at any department or leather goods store, for morning and country wear; than a chiffon scarf, hand-painted in flowers in the new-old French style; and finally with a drawnwork scarf of pongee or heavy silk.

Here are six trimmings, all charming and all in the latest mode, for one hat; and the color may be varied as often as the material. Given a neutral-tinted straw, any color effect is possible; and one may easily have practically a separate hat for each gown.

These adjustable scarfs are, of course, easily fastened to the hat by a few stitches or by the new hat hairpins, which are often themselves covered with material to match the hat trimming.

Edging for the Girdle

SASHES we are to have all this summer, but no longer the simple sash of ribbon tied in a careless bow at the back.

No, indeed! All these girdle sashes are most elaborately tied, and one and all are distinguished by a finishing touch of some sort.

Fringe, deep or shallow, is much in favor for these sashes, and may be of the same color or in some sharply contrasting shade.

An edging of quilled black satin sets off the bows at either end of a white silk sash.

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New Glove Hints

TUCKED lace gloves are in again, and will stay for the summer.

Pink silk gloves are reversible to yellow, and just match the tuscan gowns.

White kid gloves are stitched in colors to match the frock. Lavenders and pinks are especially favored.

The stitching itself is varied; a broad chain effect is new and pretty.

Yellow tiste gloves are cool and washable, and look like the fashionable but pearly chamois.

Tan brown cloth gauntlets are good for the horseback.

Chamoisette gloves have come to match the chamoisette kid leatherhide. A tiny pointer or a golden pheasant is embroidered in the gloves.

And this new embroidery and trimming can quite easily be done by one's self, which is most emphatically attractive.

Sheer Linings

LININGS, when they are used at all, are almost for a [illegible] dinner and evening gowns, [illegible] the fashion for [illegible] silk, which is not chiffon, but equally sheer.

[illegible]

Cords as Fastenings

[illegible]

Shirtwaist Case

A [illegible]

Your Summer Curtains

W[illegible]

Made, for the ordinary [illegible] kind, is excellent [illegible] hang as [illegible] each side [illegible]

[illegible]

Raffia Trimming

MANY of the new hats in the lighter weaves of straw are being trimmed very effectively in colored raffia and velvet flowers, the raffia being covered with net of the same shade and arranged like a scarf. Raffia comes in nearly twenty-five shades, and where an unusual color must be matched, the white or natural colored can often be dyed to the exact tint. One girl tried for days to stain exactly a rather bright blue raffia, and after failing with all sorts of paints and dyes, succeeded by dipping the natural-colored grass into ordinary washing blue.

With the help of raffia and net very modish hats, indeed, can be trimmed entirely at home, for even the velvet flowers can be made with practice by the amateur. Often the raffia and net will match the straw of the hat with the flowers in another shade or in black or white. The variations are endless, and all are pretty.

Decorated Parasol

THE new parasols from Paris are nearly all fringed. They look for all the world like the silk lampshades that were so fashionable thirty years ago. But they are nevertheless extremely pretty.

One unusual style has a black velvet ribbon run through slits all around the parasol about five inches from the ruffled edge and then fastened with a large empire bow in the front.

Another is embroidered so as to seem a perfect square with four triangular points at the side. This parasol is covered with large and small black embroidered eyelet spots, and would look stunning with a black-and-white or an all-black costume.

Still a third is in Chinese effect, a dull blue silk, with a pleated and [illegible] wired ruffle. The handle of this is in plain and polished yellow wood.

Handles, by the way, are [illegible] the effect of the new overstuffed chatelaine [illegible]. Nearly every one displays a [illegible] or a golden pheasant head. One [illegible] black satin shows the [illegible] [illegible]

[illegible] for the home needlewoman.

Embroidered Initials

IN EMBROIDERING initials on household linen, especially for a newly [illegible] the color of [illegible] should try to make the [illegible] agree with the [illegible] in which [illegible] used. Thus the square, [illegible] shape are suitable for a room in [illegible] style [illegible] their [illegible] French letters for the [illegible] in colors of Empire [illegible] [illegible] French letters [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]

THEATRICAL

New Attractions

ORPHEUM THEATRE
Moving Pictures.

MAJESTIC THEATRE
Reopened.

ARCANA THEATRE
Motion Pictures changed every day.

PASTIME THEATRE
Motion pictures changed every day.

AIRDOME THEATRE
When the weather permits.

MILLBROOK CASINO
Next week "Facing the Music."

The Talk of The Town.

The nightly increase in attendance during the past week at the Casino was another striking evidence of the popularity and esteem which the new Millbrook company has already attained and it is safe to predict that within another two weeks crowded houses at every performance will be the substantial proof of the intense interest and enthusiasm of the loyal patrons of wholesome and artistic drama.

The management takes pardonable pride in announcing the play for next week. As a special big holiday attraction the Millbrook company will present "Facing the Music," the laughing success of the century. This famous farce will be produced for one week only, commencing next Monday, July 4th, with an extra "celebration" matinee on that day. "Facing the Music" is the funniest farce ever written, excelling in rich, genuine comedy even such successful plays as "Charlie's Aunt" and "Miss Temple's Telegram." It was first produced in New York by Mr. Henry Dixi and a most distinguished company, including John Mason and Katharine Grey.

Mr. Berthelet had the good fortune to see these performances at the Garrick theater and will reproduce the play to the smallest detail. He has designed a scene which will be an exact duplicate of the one used in the long New York engagement. The play will be cast to wonderful advantage as all the parts are especially suited to the different members of the Millbrook company.

"Facing the Music" will be "the greatest ever."

Special Feature.

As an added feature of delightful entertainment, a Victor auxetophone has been installed in the Casino, and the patrons may now hear the finest musical productions in the world.

It will be a pleasure to secure any special record that may be requested.

The cast of characters is as follows:

Rev. John Smith, the curate at St. Andrews, Mr. Roy Gordon.

John Smith, the other Mr. Smith, Mr. Henry Hall.

Dick Desmond, the other Mr. Smith's guest, Mr. Vaughn Trevor.

Colonel Duncan Smith, the other Mr. Smith's uncle, Mr. Jack Herbert.

Sergeant Duffell, attached to Vine street police station, Mr. Arthur Berthelet.

Nora, the other Mr. Smith's wife, Miss Louise Kent.

Mabel, the curate's wife, Miss Leona Ball.

Miss Fotheringay, of the Bijou theater, Miss Marion Herbert.

Mrs. Ponting, the other Mr. Smith's housekeeper, Miss Leona Soule.

The action of the play takes place in "The other Mr. Smith's" flat, No. 19 Mona Mansions, Kensington.

Period: Present day. Autumn.

Act I. Before breakfast. 10 o'clock.

Act II. After breakfast. 10:40 same morning.

Act III. Before lunch. 11:30 same morning.

Adele Ritchie has filed a petition in bankruptcy, with liabilities $18,249 and no assets except $250 worth of clothes. She lives at Pelham, N. Y. The petition was precipitated by three executions issued against her to the sheriff by these creditors: Otto Harony Co., $519, for photographs; Harry T. Galpin, $206, and Melville Demorest, $191. She has thirty-six creditors in all.

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It is exceedingly doubtful whether the majority of people appreciate the unusual advantages which Portsmouth offers in summer theatricals.

The Millbrook Casino is known all over the state to be a summer theatre which has no superior, and which probably has one of the best companies playing at any park theatre in the United States. The natural advantages of the Millbrook Casino are great. Set in the midst of the best amusement park of its kind in Southern Ohio, circled with beautiful trees, and situated in a place of great natural beauty, the Casino has gained fast in popularity as a pleasant place to spend an evening.

And with all these advantages, the Millbrook Casino possesses one that is high over all the rest, namely, its wonderfully artistic company. This company is composed of such well known actors as Mr. Henry Hall, and Mr. Vaughn Trevor, whose every role is in itself a delight to witness. Miss Louise Kent, the charming leading woman, would be a credit to any company, while Miss Leona Ball continues to delight her audiences with her characterizations of ingenue roles.

There is not a weak member in the company, and the slightest part is given careful consideration, so that each character comes before the public a finished production. The acting of the company is in itself a feature that would attract attention.

The plays themselves are some of the best that have been written and are all plays that have never before been produced in Portsmouth.

Think of it, such plays as "Monty," "The Amazons," "Lady Huntsworth's Experiment," and scores of others produced by a summer stock company, and produced artistically, not murdered. Even in the winter season Portsmouth seldom gets such productions, and they are at rare intervals.

Some great plays are to be produced in the near future, among which will be "The Climbers" and "The Truth," two of the best modern problem plays. Manager Berthelet announces that it will be the policy of his company to produce none but plays of the highest class, and if present indications may be taken as a forecast some delightful treats are in store for the patrons of this excellent summer theatre.

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Manager Potts of the Arcana and Air Dome Theatres, is a great base ball fan and he rarely misses a game. Almost any afternoon when Portsmouth is playing at home Potts' melodious voice may be heard rooting for the team through a megaphone, and between the innings inviting the players and the crowd to come and see the best pictures on earth at the Arcana and Airdome. Potts is one of the leading attractions at the ball game and is second only to the game itself. It is rumored that the management of the ball club is considering seriously making Potts and Dan Labold offers of large salaries to act as the team's professional rooters when it is away from home.

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Theatrical people are ever in the lead when it comes to making use of the latest good things of the age. A striking illustration of this fact is that Mr. and Mrs. William Crane will be passengers on the first trip over the new airship line from Munich to Oberammergau. This line is sixty miles in distance and the price of the tickets is $38.00.

It is the second line of it's kind to be established in Germany, and at the time it starts will be the only one running, as the passenger airship owned by Count Zeppelin is a twisted mass of silk and metal in the tree tops of the Teutonbergian forest.

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Patrons of the Grand will not be able to recognize it next season if reports from the Chief House Cleaner, Fred Higley, are to be believed. The interior is being improved and remodeled and the result will present a highly creditable appearance. Among other things comfortable new chairs are to be installed, and it is said that this will tend to make the theatre the ideal lazy man's place. At any rate it has been suggested that Manager Higley reserve a certain section of the new seats for the weary ones, and put sound proof curtains around it so that the portion of the house that is interested in the play may enjoy it undisturbed by a chorus of snores.

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The latest former Hammerstein star who has joined the Chicago Grand Opera Co., is Mme. Lilian Nordica. She was engaged Wednesday by Manager Andreas Dippel, previous to his sailing for Europe on the Kronz Prinz Wilhelm.

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There is a little lady who is now in her fourth week at Hammerstein's Theatre in New York City who is creating a sensation among New York theatregoers. Her name is Mademoiselle Polaire and she is said to have the smallest waist in the world. She is being featured in a production of the famous Apache Dance.

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Cincinnati Hippodrome, which hit two extremes of weather—very chilly and tremendously hot—will close its first season July 2. John P. Harris, president of the company, visited Cincinnati and decided to end the first season of six weeks. The plan is to repeat this hippodrome next season, but to elevate the stage and thus save the diamond.

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George B. Cox and his associates have secured the old Majestic Concert Hall on Vine Street, Cincinnati, nearly opposite the Grand Opera House. The place will be remodeled and dedicated to vaudeville. The policy has not yet been outlined, but cheap admissions will rule. The Majestic was closed by Mayor Schwab. In the earlier days Harris' Museum, then Kohl & Middleton, and Avery & Heck occupied the place. Originally it was the Florentine Hotel.

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George Evans and his Honey Boy Minstrels will start rehearsing July 5, at New York. The call appears in this issue.

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Julian Eltinge will begin his tour of the West at the head of a big bill of novelties, under the direction of Rogers, Leonhardt & Curtis, on Aug. 1. Among the most prominent of the feature acts that have been placed under contract for this transcontinental tour are the Five Columbians who have appeared in Portsmouth, featuring La Marilynn, in her dancing and vocal imitations of Fritzi Scheff, Adeline Genee, and Bessie McCoy; Riccobona's horses, Middleton and Spellmeyer, in their comedy playlet, "A Texas Wooing," and Almont and Dumont.

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Mrs. Leslie Carter has signed contracts with John Cort whereby she will be starred under his management for a period of five years.

Mrs. Carter will be presented during the coming season in a new play by Rupert Hughes. This play is said to be of exceptionally good construction, and pleases her much better than anything she has had in several years. The star role is absolutely to her liking, as it affords unusual opportunity for her particular style of emotional opportunity.

Mr. Cort knows that Mrs. Carter is a stickler on detail, and as the scenes in the play call for elaborate settings, much is to be expected of the production.

Mrs. Carter's season will begin early in October, and later in that month she will start an extended New York engagement at a Broadway theatre.

FLORENCE TREVOR

The charming comedienne who has already become a big favorite with Casino patrons by her remarkably clever work in "As a Man Sows" which is presented for the last time by the Millbrook Company tonight.

-Brightside and His Boy-

"Evolution of the Glad Hand," Their Latest Tabloid Sketch.

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BY LAFAYETTE PARKS.

"According to the papers, I see a new style of shaking hands has come into vogue," observes Brightside, as Son drifts in, lackadaisically lighting the usual torch.

"So they're going to shake the old fashioned shake, eh?" queries Son.

"Newport society folk seem to have started a new way of greeting," resumes Father. "It is to be a quick, vigorous grip."

"I guess the chap who wants to shake down a friend for five bucks will stick to the same old glad hand brand," says Son. "He won't let go your mitt till you give up, even if he is out of style. He'd rather be out of fashion than to be out of cash."

"Some people can't be perfectly happy," Father moralizes, "unless they strictly adhere to the latest ethical code promulgated by the leaders of fashion."

A SIX-DAY-GO-AS-YOU-PLEASE HANDSHAKE.

"When a bunch will fall for a grip like that one where you have to get a step-ladder to reach the dame's mit, they certainly are ready to go the limit," admits Son.

"There didn't seem to be much warmth or sincerity, in that elevated style," concurs Father.

"Never would win a chap's collar like feeling for a strap in a subway car, although the motion is about the same," remarks Son.

"I believe every person should have his or her own style of hand shake and not slavishly follow a rule laid down by social leaders," declares Father.

"Some ginks push out a hand that feels more like a slab of dried codfish than a friendly grip," Son complains. "That style ought to be barred every place except in Prohibition convention and Quaker prayer meetings."

"The good old fashioned Methodist camp meeting hand shake was about as cordial a clasp as any," Father avers approvingly.

"Too much like a six-day-go-as-you-please to make a hit with me," is Son's criticism. "Especially if a deacon would get a strangle hold on a favorite sister's lily white shaker, it would be good night before the breakaway. That style of wrestling match ought to have a referee to call time on the clinches."

"The little courtesies of this kind meant more when I was a boy than they seem to nowadays," declares Father, harking back to the good old times before the war. "When a man would meet a friend in the street then they would shake hands as though it had some significance."

"That significant kind of shake will never go out of style," puts the Son. "It's just as popular today as when you were a kid. To the bunch who know the code it's the only real glad hand. One finger down means 'Let's have a drink.' Two down, with old pals, sometimes means a 'touch,' and so forth. Of the whole raft of secret signs and grips, the wireless street code sure has the call."

"I don't know as I care so much for hand shaking in business affairs," comments Father.

"Sidestep that busy little business mitt disturbed if you can," Son warns. "Beat it out the back door if you see him coming first. Of all the gold brick sellers that chap is quite the worst. Once he gets his claw tangled up with his victim's wrist and puts his left hook in the middle of your back call for help and have the safe locked."

"A woman has invented this latest method of hand clasp," notes Father.

"Leave it to little bright eyes to put the fancy touches on the hand holding game," Son says. "But there's one form of hand shake more popular just now than anything else on the mat."

"I guess I haven't heard about it," suggests Father.

"It's the book that Mr. Jeffries and Mr. Johnson are going to pass out at Reno on July 4," concludes Son.

TIMES RECIPES.

Preserved Peaches.

For preserved peaches allow three-quarters of a pound of sugar and a cup of water to every pound of fruit. Peel the peaches, saving the skins if the fruit is fine, to use in marmalade or peach syrup. Cut the peaches in halves, if large, but save the pits. If you do not wish to put them in the preserves crack them, cover with cold water and steep gently for about half an hour to extract their flavor, then use in place of the clear water in making the syrup. Now, you may pack the peeled and halves peaches in sterilized cans, as for canning, fill with the scalding, rich syrup and cook in the oven bath twenty minutes before sealing, or, having skimmed the syrup, drop in the fruit a layer at a time and boil until the peaches are transparent and tender. Take out carefully, pack into jars, boil the syrup until thick and clear, then strain over the fruit and seal at once.

Peach Jelly.

Peaches never make a firm jelly that will retain its shape when turned from a mould, but no jelly is more delicious for cake fillings. For jelly select peaches not quite ripe enough for eating. Rub off the down with a rough cloth, cut in pieces, saving pits. Cover with water and cook slowly, closely covered, until the fruit is soft.

Turn into a jelly bag and hang to drip. When the juice is extracted measure and allow to every pint of juice a pound of sugar and the juice of a lemon. Set the sugar in the oven to heat and place the liquid uncovered over the fire. Cook steadily twenty minutes, add the heated sugar, stir until dissolved, cook five minutes, then strain through a cheesecloth into glasses.

Cherry Pie.

While sour cherries make the best pie, the sweet cherries are not to be despised. They are usually pitted, though many people like the flavor imparted by the stones. This is, therefore, a matter of option. A deep tin should be used for cherry pie, the deeper the better.

Many housekeepers complain that their cherry pies run over in the oven, and much of the juice is lost. To prevent this waste of nectar a strip of cotton cloth may be wet and pressed about the rim after the pie is ready to go in the oven, or a paper funnel may be inserted in the opening in the centre of the top crust, to allow for the escape of steam, thus relieving the crust from pressure.

When the under crust is spread on the plate, sprinkle lightly with flour or brush over with white of egg. This last the Germans always do in making fruit pies.

Pack full of the cherries sweetened to taste, dredge a little flour over the top, then put on the upper crust and seal.

Strawberry Jam.

Mash ripe strawberries and cook in their own juice until reduced considerably. Then add sugar, heated in the oven, allowing three-quarters of a pound to each pound of the fruit, and cook steadily until of the required consistency.

If too sweet add a little pie plant, lemon juice or gooseberries. Pack in jars and seal.

PARISIAN BATHING SUIT

PHOTO BY NOEL, PARIS.

Frenchwomen wear much more daring costumes on the beach than are seen in America, as will be readily understood after examining this gray little costume of canary pongee. The arrangement of the blue and canary striped trimming adds much to the striking effect.

The dark blue sandals are laced almost to the knee.

Well Known Daughters of Famous Men

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MRS. WHITELAW REID.

Mrs. Whitelaw Reid, the wife of one of the best known and ablest Americans, was born Elizabeth Mills and is the daughter of the late Darius O. Mills. Upon her father's death she is said to have inherited $35,000,000, with which she will undoubtedly carry on and enlarge the extensive philanthropy of her father.

It was in 1881 that Miss Mills became the wife of Whitelaw Reid, and since that time she has been an unfailing inspiration to her husband, whose career is typically American.

He was born in Ohio in 1837 and graduated from Miami University in 1856. Soon afterward he bought the Xenia News. He joined the republican party at its birth and advocated Lincoln's nomination in 1860. At the outbreak of the civil war he joined the staff of General Morris, and later, General Rosecrans, and wrote war correspondence under the signature "Agate." In 1868 Horace Greely invited him to join the Tribune. When the latter died Mr. Reid became proprietor and editor of the Tribune.

In March, 1889, Whitelaw Reid accepted from President Harrison the appointment of Minister to France. He resigned and returned to this country in 1892, and in June of that year was nominated for Vice President. In 1897 he was named Special Ambassador to England to represent the President at the Queen's jubilee. In 1902 he was again Special Ambassador at the coronation of King Edward. Since 1905 he has been the American Ambassador to England.

In all the crowded activities of his life Mrs. Whitelaw Reid has been an important factor. Whether at their town house on Madison avenue, New York, or the beautiful American country estate of the Reids, Ophir Hall, near White Plains, New York,

MRS. WHITELAW REID.

Mrs. Reid's gracious personality and tactful dominance were always in evidence. And now at their London home, Dorchester House, in Hyde Park, and their English country home she is a no less commanding factor in the Ambassador's success.

At Dorchester House Mrs. Whitelaw Reid usually receives in the library, an apartment fifty feet in length and superbly finished in Cordovan leather and massive mahogany. It is said that the annual rental of Dorchester House is twice the Ambassador's yearly salary of $17,500.

Types That We Meet Every Day

The Girl at the Soda Counter.

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BY BOBBIE BABBLE.

Says Trivia, "In the summer time
When drinks from lemon or from lime
Are grateful to a dusty throat,
I seek the soda fount and note
The cool and condescending air
Of the fair maid dispensing there
Her ice cream sodas, and they say,
Making Sundaes every day.

"Observe, I pray, the dextrous hand
With which she swings her graceful arm,
As she draws, from here and there,
The cooling drink for which you care,
Just notice how her practised eye
Sees all the glasses foaming high;
And see how easy is her way
Of making Sundaes every day.

"Observe her dress, how spick and span,
All to please her best young man;
Who, when her long day is o'er,
And somewhat late they shut the door,
Waits for her and after dark
They stroll home slowly through the park,
Keeping company, I dare say,
And a Sunday every day.

"Perhaps the sweets of their love dream
Like her soda and ice cream,
And if a lover's quarrel breaks

Their rare content, it only makes
A welcome contrast like the mood
That makes a lemon phosphate good;
Then they make up, and all seems gay,
While making Sundaes every day.

"When the heat waves begin to wane,
Some happy day these lovers twain
Will seek the Mayor at set of sun,
And two young folks will be made one;
Perhaps, before the summer's o'er,
They'll start themselves a little store
And toward a fortune take their way
By making Sundaes every day!"

CASINO

(The Theatre Among the Trees.)

LAST TIME TONIGHT of the Sterling Drama

"AS A MAN SOWS"

NEXT WEEK extraordinary Attraction.

SPECIAL MONDAY MATINEE.

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The funniest Farce ever written.

Evenings at 8:15. Monday, Wednesday and Saturday Matinee 2:30. Popular Prices.

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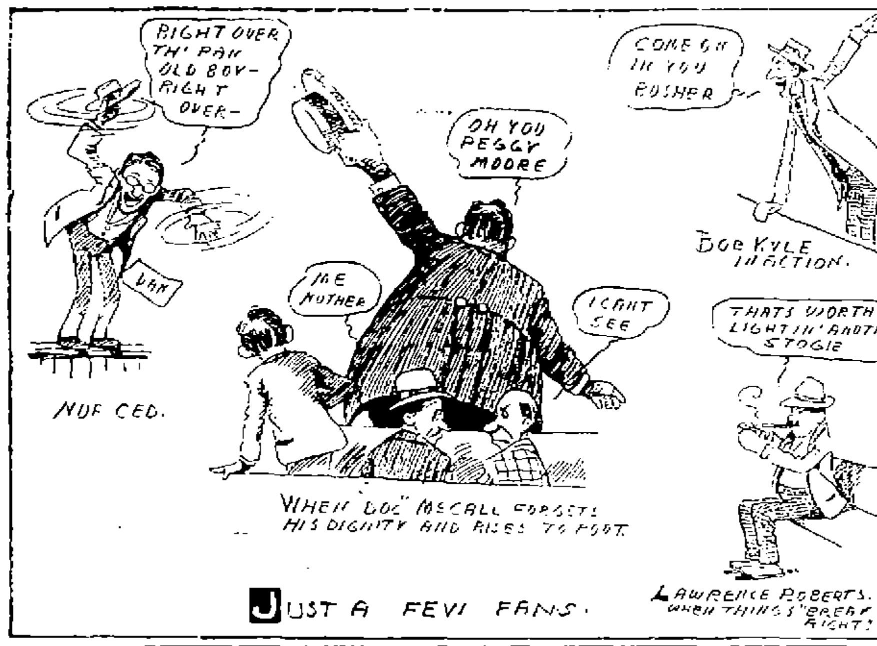
EVENING TIMES SPORTS

Some Sidelights On The Game At Millbrook Park BY SHONK



Triumph Number Two Over the Cigarmakers

In a Titantic struggle before a sweltering crowd of fans at Millbrook Park, Friday afternoon, those first placers of "ours" again triumphed over the Stogies of Lima, winning out by the exciting score of 3 to 2, the game being as hot as the weather and then some.

It was a crafty scrap between big "Peggy" Moore and Mr. Munk the tall, well proportioned fellow coming out victorious because he kept his nerve and his noodle. Munk, who pitched a grand game, allowed a woozy error by Mr. Long on third to get his goat and before he settled down the game had *gone glimmering. Much obliged* Mr. Long—keep it up.

The grand stand held a bevy of pretty women and squalling, dimpled face babies, for be it known 'twas ladies' day, and not only were the sweet sixteen variety out, but the mothers as well, and "mother" always brings along the little ones—she wants to give them an early base ball education. It was a splendid gathering and a splendiferous game was pulled off. The air was sultry and the brave athletes were almost overcome, for there was not a single moment when it would have done for either side to let down one particle. But while those noble athletes were sweating, great drops were trickling down the anxious brows of the fans who worked almost as hard as the players. They rooted with *might and main*, mostly main and felt much relieved when Scudder pulled off that spectacular play in the last stanza and they were quite sure their labors had been rewarded with a victory.

But it was a close shave—a develish close one. When that little sawed off Mr. Doherty went to bat in the ninth frame with the score 3 to 1 against his side, no one for a moment expected to see him do anything startling. But he fooled the wise ones, for he crunched one for a couple of sacks down the left foul line and laughed like a devil fish when he pulled in at second. But even then you could have gotten a two to one bet that the Stogies would not score, for "Peggy" was going at a mighty fast gait and had made the visitors look like the rankest brand of amateurs at the bat. But the terrific heat of a sun wilted Big Frank and had the game gone into extra innings, the big ball of fire in the heavens might have got him. Still there was little McClintock walking toward the plate swinging a club almost as big as himself. He hadn't been able to do a thing with Moore's benders and the fans were tickled to death it was he and not Ty Cobb. But after Mack had swung at two wide ones he managed to connect for a hot one bright to center, and by dextrous sprinting turn it into a double. This put the fans uneasy, for one more run would tie the score. But thanks to the poor inside ball pulled off, the game was completed before that happened. Instead of directing Riley to bunt, Manager Newnham gave him orders to hit her out and he pushed a fast one to Peggy, who tossed him out at Scudderville. Then Lefty Hontz followed suit, Mack managing to get to third on the play. Nesser, who is as big as Jim Jeffries' shadow by moonlight and a fellow who had made a couple of safe ones, took his position. He nearly unjointed himself on one wide boy, and then landed on the next one in a manner to cause the fans to say Geerusalem. It wasn't a safe one, going like a Mauser bullet toward good, old *honest* Scudder, *who smothered* it to death on the fly. That ended hostilities. The visitors made one in the fourth on an error by Scud and Nesser's single.

Now, just a moment longer until you learn how the locals won the game and this story will be ended. It all happened in the sixth—you have been informed that *already*—but it's so good it bears repetition. Moore slammed a bounder to Long, who uncorked one of his long throws and Peggy trotted to second. Then classy Conwell spanked a beautiful triple to center and Peggy came home, although the trip almost caused him to undergo an attack of prostration. O'Day, that cultured boy, crunched a single to right and Conwell completed the journey. Scudder's grounder permitted *O'Day to go to second and* Weinburg's daisy cutter to left furnished him with the necessary transportation.

The game was a hummer, a sizzling hot struggle, and you can take it from this end of the line that the locals have their work cut out for them when they stack up against the boys from Lima. They are always in the game, and you've accomplished something when you hammer the daylights out of them. It may be no fun to lick the Babes and the Molders, but Oh, boy when you trounce the Cigarmakers! The score:

Portsmouth	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Breen lf	2	0	0	0	0	0
Conwell 3b	4	1	1	1	1	0
O'Day cf	4	1	1	2	0	0
Scudder 1b	4	0	1	15	0	1
Weinberg cf	4	0	1	[illegible]	2	[illegible]
Childs 2b	3	0	[illegible]	[illegible]	0	0
Horning ss	2	0	0	0	5	[illegible]
Callis rf	3	0	0	2	1	0
Moore p	3	1	0	1	[illegible]	[illegible]
Totals	29	3	[illegible]	27	15	[illegible]

Lima	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Doherty cf	3	1	1	1	0	0
McClintock 2b	3	0	1	0	1	0
Lloyd rf	3	[illegible]	0	[illegible]	0	0
Hontz lf	3	0	[illegible]	2	[illegible]	[illegible]
Nesser 1b	3	0	2	12	0	[illegible]
Tester c	3	0	0	0	0	[illegible]
Newnham ss	3	[illegible]	0	1	[illegible]	[illegible]
Long c	3	0	0	1	[illegible]	1
Munk p	3	[illegible]	1	[illegible]	0	[illegible]
*Riley	1	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Totals	28	2	5	24	11	2

*Batted for Lloyd in ninth.

Clubs	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
Portsmouth	[illegible]								x	3
Lima	[illegible]									2

Two base hits—Doherty and McClintock.

Three base hits—Conwell.

Stolen bases—Breen, Horning 2, Lloyd, Nesser.

First base on balls—Moore 1, Munk 3.

Struck out—Moore 2, Munk 5.

Double plays—Callis to Scudder, Weinberg to Scudder.

Time of game—1:45.

Umpire—Mason.

Attendance—650.

Balloons, flags and decorations—Corner Book Store.

PIRATES EASY FOR REDS

The Reds with George Suggs in the box had no trouble in beating the Pirates, Friday, the score being 4 to 1. Suggs kept his nerve in punches and crawled out of some pretty tight holes. The Pirates were off color in fielding. The score:

Cincinnati	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Bescher, lf	2	1	1	2	0	0
Egan, 2b	3	0	0	1	3	0
Hoblitzell, 1b	4	1	1	13	1	0
Mitchell, rf	4	0	0	1	0	0
Paskert, cf	4	0	0	2	0	0
Downey, 3b	4	0	0	3	2	0
McLean, c	4	1	3	5	1	0
McMillan, ss	3	0	0	0	2	0
Suggs, p	2	1	0	0	5	0
Totals	30	[illegible]	5	27	14	0

Pittsburg	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Byrne, 3b	3	0	1	2	3	0
Leach, cf	4	0	2	3	0	1
Clarke, lf	3	0	1	3	0	0
Wagner, ss	2	0	0	1	5	2
Miller, 2b	4	0	0	2	0	1
Hyatt, 1b	4	0	3	7	1	0
Wilson, rf	4	0	0	4	1	0
Gibson, c	3	0	0	6	0	0
Campbell	1	0	0	0	0	0
Camnitz, p	1	1	1	0	0	0
Maddox, p	2	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	32	1	8	27	10	4

Struck out—By Suggs, 4; by Camnitz, 1.

Bases on balls—Off Suggs, 2; off Camnitz, 3.

Two base hit—McLean.

Three base hits—Leach, Hyatt 2.

Sacrifice hits—Egan, Clarke, Wagner, McMillan.

Double play—Hoblitzell, McLean and Downey.

Umpires—Rigler and Kane.

Attendance—2500.

SCRATCH M'GUIRE NOW A LANK

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Delicious home made candies at Post Card Store, 12 Gallia. 28-tf.

LIKE WEBB IN PITTSBURG

Local fans had a peep at Cleon Webb in action when the young southpaw twirled the Buccaneers to a victory over the St. Louis Cardinals, says the Pittsburg Leader. The portsider registered but one strike-out in the nine innings and the Pirate outfielders were kept busy handling a total of 14 chances, but Webb got by handily principally because his control was well nigh perfect, he issuing but one pass. The ruddy faced Ohio heaver is steadier than any other southpaw in the league and control is a great asset for a pitcher who has a good fielding team back of him.

Webb is a former Ohio Stater, having played with Newark in 1909.

FRYER CANNED BY LANKS

Irish Fryer was handed his release by Owner George Ruff on Thursday evening. Fryer was formerly with Chillicothe but was let out on account of his hitting. Fryer opened his initial game with Lancaster with three bingles out of four times up, but has not hit anything to amount to much since. He was a good fielder, but was weak with the stick.—Lancaster Gazette.

J. M. Dalton is putting a new iron post awning in front of his grocery in the White Bear hotel property.

Douglas shoes $3.00 at Winter's.

Jeffrie's Condition Is Well Nigh Perfection

Jeffries' Training Camp, Reno, Nev. July 2.—With the big fight only three days away, James J. Jeffries got up at 3 o'clock this morning and went fishing. With a party of his friends he went to Boca, over the California line, in an automobile. It was still dark when the party started out.

Turned up to *the highest notch* of physical perfection, his skin hardened by the free use of ointment, his muscles supple, his heart action and wind perfect, the big white bear is ready to step into the ring Monday and give Jack Johnson the battle of his life.

With every muscle indicating perfect training; eyes bright and snappy, the white man's hope seems to belie the stories which have gone forth from the training camp, declaring he has not trained as he should.

"I suppose Sam Berger and I will have to give up our cherished hope of getting Jeff to finish his training season with enough boxing to make him glove perfect," said Jim Corbett, the gloomiest member of Mona Springs camp.

Jeff is Satisfied.

As handsome Jim said this he stepped into an automobile and was whisked away to Reno. He said he could not stand to see Jeff throw away his chances by refusing to do more boxing. Notwithstanding this dire prediction, Jeff, himself, winner of many battles and acknowledged the perfect physical man, is running things much to suit himself and has a good hunch that he is in good enough condition to whip any animated thing or being.

The deep lines on his determined face are accentuated to a great *degree as the day of the battle approaches*. He is not visibly nervous and he does not seem to be worrying.

One thing is certain, and that is he will tear into Jack Johnson and attempt to make the fight as short as he can. The wily, treacherous, crafty boxer will have his hands full in avoiding *a knock-out at an* early stage of the game.

Ready for Hard Fight.

Jeffries is ready for one of the hardest fights of his career. He knows that the ebony giant will try every sort of trick to win this fight. Johnson will try to wear down the bone and muscle dreadnought and cut him into ribbons with quick, short jabs.

The big bear has prepared for all of this and will content himself in looking for an opening. Once *found, Lil' Artha's fighting career* will be ended.

The Jeffries fans are sticking to him like plaster and can't see how he can be defeated.

Their enthusiasm is boundless.

Jeffries did but little today, a session of road work only. He seems remarkably cheerful during his training period and continually laughed and kidded with his sparring partners, who are now *practically* out of a job. *He likes* to play cards, hearts being his favorite game. Jeffries is such a hearty eater that he will have to do road work right along in order to keep his wind in good shape but the work will not amount to much.

Zeke Reynolds Is Quite Ill

Mansfield, O., July 2.—The local club is still seriously crippled by the absence of Reynolds from the left field position. The scrappy utility player is threatened with lockjaw and it is a question when he will be able to play. Reports from Akron were to the effect that he expected to be able to get into the games to be played at Canton, although this is not a certainty.

Reynolds whose front name is "Zeke" was with Lancaster last season and a player of more than ordinary ability.

"Our" Water Made Him Sick

Chillicothe, July 2.—Ayette the clever short stop of the Diggers is a very sick man. He was put under the care of Dr. Marr as soon as he returned to the hotel and the physician advised ice baths, being fearful that the player might develop typhoid fever. The applications did a good deal of good, and today Ayette was better, but in no condition to play. All of the Marion boys are more or less under the weather and they blame it on the Portsmouth water, saying it is awful.

Colonel Roosevelt wants Mr. Hughes to take a third term in Albany. Evidently doesn't want him in "my Supreme Court."

JEFF PULLING OFF STUNTS ON BOB ARMSTRONG.

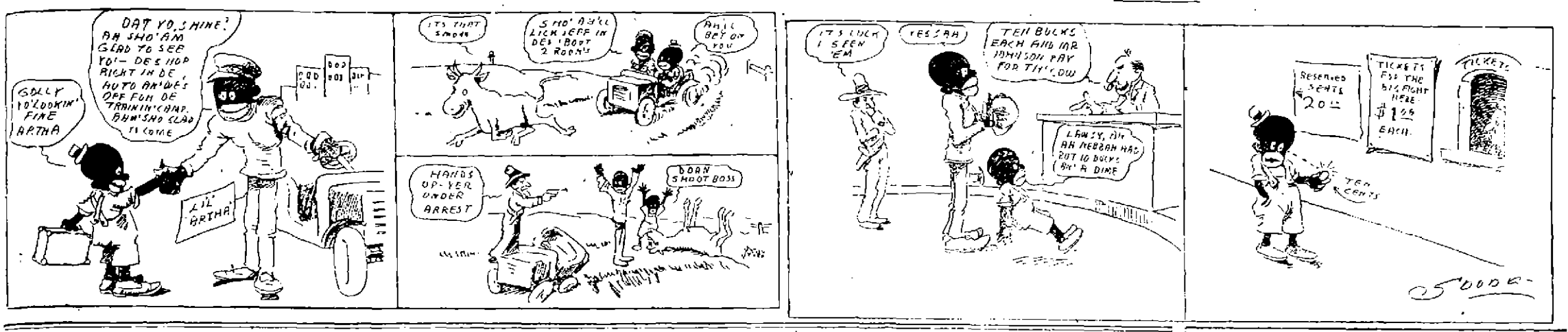
Pins Faith On Jeffries

Charles Pfau is one of the most ardent supporters of Jim Jeffries and is handing out some strong dope to show why he is going to put the kibosh on 'Lil Arthur.

John, a young son of Charles Hester of Jefferson street, has taken a position as clerk at Burkee's grocery.

Red Cross shoes for style

Shine--He Meets His Friend "Lil Artha" At Reno BY SHONK



OUTFIELDER O'DAY LEADING HITTER

A glance at the averages published below will explain why the big league scouts are on the trail of Outfielder O'Day, of the Portsmouth team. It will be seen at a glance that he is the boss slugger of the league, having the splendid average of .323 opposite his honest name. Not only is he the highest regular so far as percentage is concerned, but he is the leading base runner of the league and the championer run getter. Again, he has punched the ball some awfully hard wallops, as his 6 two-baggers and his 9 triples will attest. Some player, that O'Day boy.

Peggy Moore is just inside the charmed circle, hitting at an even .300 gait, a figure he will remain near all season. Weinberg has bingled his way to the position of second regular, hitting at .277 and expects to reach .300 by the time the next batch is published. Childs and Breen are having a merry battle, the manager hitting .269 and Breen .267, and both due for a climb upwards—they won't go lower, not a pin right there.

The averages published include the games of Thursday and are compiled with much care by F. N. Kramer, the polished sporting editor of the Marion Star:

Players	G	AB	R	H	2B	3B	4B	SB	SH	Ave.
Gascoyne, Lancaster, ...	1	2	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	.500
Goodall, Marion, ...	19	55	6	22	2	2	0	2	0	.400
O'Day, Portsmouth, ...	54	206	38	67	8	9	1	20	6	.325
Riley, Lima, ...	28	74	1	24	2	0	0	1	2	.324
Mank, Lima, ...	14	38	4	12	0	0	0	1	1	.316
Goshorn, Newark, ...	16	38	6	12	1	0	0	0	3	.316
Johnstone, Marion, ...	30	86	6	27	1	0	0	6	5	.314
Moore, Portsmouth	22	60	6	18	4	0	0	0	1	.300
DeWitt, Chillicothe, ...	20	74	6	22	5	0	0	5	3	.297
Hoffman, Lancaster, ...	15	58	7	17	4	2	1	8	1	.293
Meehan, Marion, ...	44	145	27	43	5	4	0	17	7	.291
Irwin, Chillicothe, ...	37	139	12	37	7	3	0	7	4	.260
Manger, Lancaster, ...	28	90	9	25	5	3	0	2	4	.278
Grandle, Chillicothe, ...	18	54	1	15	3	0	0	1	4	.278
Weinberg, Portsmouth, ..	53	185	21	52	10	1	0	11	1	.277
Nesser, Lima, ...	43	56	21	13	8	5	4	9	16	.276
Kendall, Newark, ...	52	219	18	57	7	5	0	6	7	.271
Hummell, Marion, ...	51	193	25	52	8	1	0	11	4	.269
Childs, Portsmouth, ...	53	175	23	47	3	0	0	6	12	.269
Breen, Portsmouth, ...	51	202	32	54	12	1	0	9	6	.267
Haley, Chillicothe, ...	32	101	9	27	2	0	0	2	5	.267
Reilly, Marion, ...	51	194	24	51	8	3	1	10	6	.263
Heitl, Newark, ...	39	149	7	39	7	1	1	4	3	.262
Kisler, Chillicothe, ...	39	131	20	34	6	3	0	18	2	.260
Zinick, Marion, ...	30	67	6	17	2	0	0	1	2	.254
Colligan, Marion, ...	50	182	27	46	6	1	2	7	8	.253
Lallier, Lancaster, ...	22	87	9	22	4	0	0	6	3	.253
Eyler, Marion, ...	42	143	21	36	6	2	1	5	11	.252
Collis, Portsmouth, ...	41	131	18	33	5	1	1	6	3	.252
Houtz, Lima, ...	41	127	29	32	0	5	1	19	3	.252
Connerider, Chillicothe, ..	4	8	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	.250
Lloyd, Lima, ...	46	168	23	42	1	4	0	14	11	.250
Duff, Lancaster, ...	43	160	9	40	1	1	0	3	4	.250
Michaels, Lancaster, ...	2	8	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	.250
Scudder, Portsmouth, ...	52	189	26	47	4	2	0	7	16	.249
McClintock, Lima, ...	53	201	25	49	4	0	0	18	22	.244
Miller, Lima, ...	20	54	9	13	1	0	1	0	1	.241
Harrison, Chillicothe, ...	25	51	7	13	1	1	0	1	3	.241
Conley, Newark, ...	52	181	18	43	4	0	0	4	5	.238
Fosler, Marion, ...	14	38	4	9	2	0	0	0	0	.237
Purcell, Chillicothe, ...	31	103	10	25	4	1	0	8	9	.236
Franken, Newark, ...	52	173	14	42	8	0	0	1	12	.236
Perry, Chillicothe, ...	19	64	4	15	2	1	0	2	4	.234
Texter, Lima, ...	45	155	16	36	3	1	0	7	7	.232
Long, Lima, ...	6	22	1	5	1	0	0	1	0	.227
Friend, Lima, ...	40	137	12	31	3	2	1	4	4	.226
Blake, Lancaster, ...	52	208	20	47	6	2	0	5	4	.226
Conwell, Portsmouth, ...	12	146	18	33	2	0	0	8	21	.226
Glickinger, Newark, ...	12	31	1	7	2	0	0	0	1	.226
Cherry, Lancaster, ...	13	42	6	9	1	0	0	0	0	.214
Doherty, Lima, ...	51	181	24	38	5	2	0	17	11	.210
Welch, Lancaster, ...	39	136	9	28	3	0	0	5	1	.206
Beckheimer, Portsmouth, ..	45	149	16	30	5	1	0	6	16	.201
Pennybaker, Lima, ...	13	49	5	8	1	0	0	0	4	.200
Lefflerte, Newark, ...	10	30	2	6	0	0	0	1	2	.200
Weller, Marion, ...	54	175	16	34	2	0	0	6	11	.194
Carrans, Lancaster, ...	30	103	12	20	4	0	0	2	7	.193
Anderson, Newark, ...	42	125	13	24	4	0	0	0	6	.188
Freer, Lancaster, ...	48	170	15	32	7	0	1	4	5	.188
Thomas, Lancaster, ...	38	135	7	25	3	1	0	7	7	.185
Myers, Newark, ...	16	166	10	30	5	2	0	1	11	.181
Jones, Chillicothe, ...	18	61	7	11	1	0	0	8	2	.172
C. Hollingsworth, Newark,	11	29	6	5	0	1	0	1	0	.172
McDowell, Newark, ...	17	60	5	11	0	0	0	0	2	.167
Browning, Portsmouth, ...	42	135	13	22	3	0	0	6	6	.162
Harper, Portsmouth, ...	11	41	3	7	0	0	0	0	1	.159
Arnett, Marion, ...	47	146	21	23	3	2	0	12	13	.158
Whalen, Chillicothe, ...	10	32	3	5	2	0	0	1	4	.156
Miller, Portsmouth, ...	16	48	7	7	2	1	0	0	1	.152
Lehmer, Portsmouth, ...	16	53	5	8	3	1	0	0	3	.151
Wilkie, Chillicothe, ...	21	68	7	10	0	0	0	2	0	.147
Hinna, Newark, ...	40	130	4	19	0	0	0	3	8	.146
S. Hollingsworth, Newark,	13	36	0	5	0	0	0	0	0	.139
Newnham, Lima, ...	40	135	9	17	1	0	0	4	11	.136
Baxter, Marion, ...	5	15	1	2	0	0	0	0	1	.133
Vogt, Newark, ...	8	27	1	3	0	0	0	0	1	.111
Dunrick, Lancaster, ...	12	36	1	4	0	0	0	0	0	.111
Jeffers, Lancaster, ...	2	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000

Notes of Friday's Game.

Well, that's two straights from the Lima squad, but you bet the locals are fully aware of the fact that they have been in two ball games. There was not a moment's a let up in the tight defense or would have proven fatal. The Stogies are playing a fast article of ball, and the fans have received their money's worth. Remember, the Cigarmaker's play Sunday, and the fans should turn out by the thousands. The locals are deserving of splendid patronage and no doubt they will get it. Fill the stands and bleachers Sunday and then let's have an overflow crowd.

ZUBER'S LETTER

Cincinnati, July 2.—There appears to be some danger of trouble over arranging the world's baseball championship series this fall, due to the unwise arranging of the schedule of the National league last winter. If the Pittsburgs again win the National league championship—and this prospect seems rather remote at the present time—the threatened trouble will be averted, as the Pirates have amended their schedule so that they will finish their season a week ahead of the time officially set for the close of the championship fuss. But should the Chicago Cubs come over with the pennant, then look out for squalls. The season in the American league closes one week earlier than that of the National. This means that the team winning the pennant in the American will have to lie idle for a week, or at best content itself with exhibition games, before entering upon the big games. This would prove a serious handicap, and it is doubtful that the American league winner will accept this arrangement. Meanwhile the Pirates, who were here last Sunday, and who again will play the Reds next Sunday, declare that they are not out of the race by a great deal, and that the closing half of the season will see them spurting in a way to land them on top before the final battle has been fought.

After having his wrist treated for three weeks for an alleged sprain, Hans Lobert, third baseman of the Reds, finally has ascertained that a bone is broken in his throwing arm, and that it will be weeks before he can take up the white man's burden at the third sack again. This discovery led Manager Griffith to make an experiment on Monday, that it is hoped, will work out in a manner satisfactory. This new arrangement is the playing of Tom Downey on third base in the place of Woodruff, and utilizing Tommy McMillan, late of Brooklyn, at short. Downey insists that he can do better work at third than at short especially in the matter of throwing, his heaving from short field being rather erratic. As he is one of the most valuable batsmen on the team it would be unwise to keep him off the line-up, hence the provision for improving his usefulness and tightening up the team generally by playing him at third.

When will ball players learn the futility of arguing with umpires? In all the years that baseball has been in existence there has been a case of record when a player has won an argument with the "arbiter of the diamond." And still they persist in butting their heads against this stone wall. Early this week the Reds were deprived of the services of Larry McLean for three days and the Cubs had Manager Chance and Harry Steinfeldt benched for a similar period because, they insisted upon becoming abusive after taking issue with umpires on decisions. The only benefits derived from this kicking goes to the team that don't kick, as they have their full line-up on the field all the time, instead of being riddles by bad conduct. The Brooklyns, who will be here a week from next Sunday, have had less trouble with umpires than any team in the league this year, and as a consequence they are playing better ball than was expected of them.

The fight of the ministers in various parts of the United States to prevent the Jeffries-Johnson mix-up still is on, although there appears to be no hope of their succeeding in preventing the meeting of those two heavies at Reno, Nev., on the 4th of July. The preachers of the gospel have even gone so far as to demand that the government take a hand in the matter by depriving the state of Nevada of her statehood and reducing her to the ranks of a territory. However, no such calamity will overtake her, and it is safe to say that the mauling stunt will be pulled off on scheduled time next Monday. Both scrappers report themselves in the very finest condition, Johnson weighing under 200 pounds, while Jeffries isn't so much about that figure as to appear beefy. Consequently, the battle will be to the strong, and go to the best trained.

C. H. ZUBER.

The owners of the team will look for the 2,500 mark to be reached. Don't disappoint them.

Lancaster is the Fourth of July attraction—a game in the morning and one in the afternoon. The Lanks are now playing grand ball and will prove worthy opponents. The locals wind up their present series on next Tuesday when they play a double header. Don't overlook a single chance to see the locals play. Better ball will not be seen anywhere.

The players were handicapped by the terrific heat yesterday, but there was no listlessness in evidence, every mother's son of them, both local and foreign.

Conwell's triple was 90 percent pure. It went to the left of little Doherty in center and "Irish" had no trouble whatever in making third. By the way that tall Irishman can sprint some.

Horning stole a couple of bases on Texter, both of them clean as whistles. When the grocery lad gets up a full head of steam he gets over the ground like a scared rabbit and he's got that fadeaway slide down pat.

The locals did not gain any in the race, the Diggers keeping close to their heels by virtue of a victory over the Babes.

CLERK'S LEAGUE OPENED SEASON

Clerk's League Standing.

	W.	L.	Per.
Haas	1	0	1.000
Anderson	1	0	1.000
Salvage	0	1	.000
Horchow	0	1	.000

Friday's Results.

Haas 17
Horchow 3

Anderson 10
Salvage 7

A large crowd of fans was out for the opening of the Clerk's league at the River City park on Friday afternoon when the first two games in the race for the championship were played. Stage fright played havoc with the rooter column of each team, the cause of the slip-ups being, no doubt, in the grand stand attired in their pretty summer gowns. Plummer's pitching for the Haas team was the best in the afternoon. The box scores:

Anderson.	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Stir, ss	3	2	2	0	3	1
Hoibrook, if	2	1	0	2	0	1
Hudson, lf	2	1	0	0	0	0
Brickter, c	4	2	1	4	0	0
Hood, cf	4	0	2	0	0	2
Davidson, 2b	4	1	1	0	6	0
Baker, 1b	4	0	1	12	0	0
Williams, rf-p	3	1	0	0	1	0
Hoir, 3b	3	1	0	2	0	2
Loel, p	0	0	0	0	1	0
Thaxton, rf	3	1	1	1	0	1
Totals	26	10	8	21	11	7

Salvage.	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Sojiro, ss-c	2	1	0	1	2	3
Harlesty, lf	4	1	1	0	0	0
Gallan, c-ss-3b	3	0	1	2	0	0
McCormick, rf	2	0	0	0	0	2
Roberts, c	2	0	0	4	0	0
Strouse, p	4	2	1	3	0	0
Howland, 2b	3	1	1	0	1	0
Schneider, 1b	1	1	1	5	0	1
Shurtery, 3b-ss	3	1	2	0	0	3
Helt, cf	1	0	1	0	0	2
Total	31	7	8	18	3	11

Anderson.... 1 1 2 0 1 5 x—10
Salvage ..... 0 5 1 0 0 0 1— 7

Two base hits—Hood, Thaxton.
Three base hits—Hood, Goodman, Howland.
Base on balls—Off Strouse, 1; off Williams, 3.
Hit by pitcher—By Strouse, 1; by Williams, 2.
Balk—Strouse.
Passed balls—Roberts, 3; Sodaro, 4.
Struck out—By Williams, 2; by Loel, 1; by Strouse, 7.

Haas	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
S. Staten, ss	4	3	0	1	2	0
Plummer, p	4	4	3	1	1	0
Kelly, 1b	5	4	3	4	0	2
Marting, c	4	2	2	12	0	0
Willhelm, 2b	4	1	0	1	0	0
Russell, 3b	4	1	3	2	1	2
W. Staten, lf	4	0	1	0	0	0
McCall, cf	3	1	1	0	0	0
Haas, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Unger, rf	2	1	1	0	0	0
Total	35	17	11	21	4	2

Horchow.	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Horchow, 3b	4	0	1	1	0	1
Harmon, rf	3	0	0	0	0	0
Reinhardt, lf	2	0	0	0	0	0
Kountz, p	2	0	1	0	1	0
Lehman, p	1	0	0	1	2	0
Compton, cf	3	0	0	0	0	1
Ressinger, 1b	3	1	0	7	0	0
Rosenberg, 2b	2	0	0	0	1	3
Ruggles, ss	3	1	1	0	2	1
Gongertine, c	3	1	1	8	0	0
Totals	26	3	4	17	6	6

Haas ..... 1 3 0 0 0 10 0—17
Horchow ... 0 0 2 1 0 0 0— 3

Home run—Kelly.
Three base hit—Plummer.
Two base hits—Plummer, Marting 2, Russell, Engler.
Base on balls—Off Lehman, 6; off Plummer, 1.
Hit by pitcher—By Plummer, 2.
Hits—Off Kountz, 6 in 2 innings; off Lehman, 8 in 5 innings.
Struck out—By Kountz, 3; by Lehman, 5; by Plummer, 12.
Passed ball—Marting.
Umpire—Rupert.

"I AM READY--" JEFFRIES

Reno, Nev., July 2.—"I am ready. My training is finished. With the exception of a sprint now and then to keep myself in shape, I will do no more work."

This was the declaration made by James J. Jeffries late today. When he made it he was seated at a card table, where he had been all afternoon. He was playing hearts with Jim Corbett, Sam Berger and Dick Adams. A big heap of silver was piled before him, gleaned from the pockets of the other three, and the man who hopes to wrest the heavyweight championship from Jack Johnson next Monday afternoon was laughing like a boy over his luck.

"There will be no boxing," said Jeffries, and his tone plainly indicated that he meant what he said. From now until he steps into the ring to face Johnson he will amuse himself as the spirit moves him. His year and a half of hard effort to put himself in shape to fight this great battle of his life is over; and, looking back over what he has done and forward to the work that he feels is yet for him to do, Jeffries says:—

"I am ready."

Johnson Through His Work And Confident

Johnson's Training Camp, Reno, Nev., July 2.—Jack Johnson, alert and happy, arose this morning with a smile on his face which displayed every golden tooth in his head.

"Just a few days more, Mr. Johnson," said a colored patriot.

"Good," said Lil 'Artha. "I'm sure ready any time."

The big black felt kittenish, but did not care to be drawn into any sort of a talkfest. He appears to be a little worried beneath the surface now that the big mill is so near at hand.

Notwithstanding that he cut training, the crowds still wend their way to Rick's resort to have a glance at the black demon.

Jack, according to reports today, has bet another $3000 on his chances to win. Another report was that he wanted $5000 against $1 and that there were no takers.

The first report was that Jack had placed a good share of the $3000 on the mutual system. The book figures: Rounds, one to five, 2 to 1; six to ten, 2 to 1; eleven to fifteen, 3 to 1; sixteen to twenty, 4 to 1; twenty-one to twenty-five, 1 to 4, twenty-six and over, 2 to 3. The man who can pick the exact round draws down $20 to each $1 put up.

Johnson closed his training yesterday with a couple of sessions for the motion picture men and their machines after he had done faithfully his morning turn on the road up towards the Sierra mountains. A little excitement was lent in the morning at the Johnson camp by the Joe Woodman incident, although there was scarcely a loud word spoken during the afternoon. Johnson had just returned from his roadwork, and, with the eye of an eagle, discovered Woodman among at least 50 guests scattered over the big porches at Rick's roadhouse. In an ordinary tone of voice he requested Woodman to vacate the premises, and Woodman, after asking Johnson's reason for wishing such a thing, was driven back to the city by Eddie Leonard, the singing comedian. Johnson told Woodman is was hardly necessary for him to explain and that it was better for all concerned that he leave at once.

Johnson then gave the machines a number of action pictures, including some driving scenes with horse and buggy and the bike.

In the afternoon, after the sun had slanted towards the west, the negro boxed six hard rounds, four with Al Kaufman and two with Cotton. He worked in hurricane style with both men and both men bleeding like a pig before the end was reached. There was a tremendous throng out, almost as many as were at Jeff's quarters the day before, a remarkable showing considering that there is no street car line to the place and other autos or rigs must be hired.

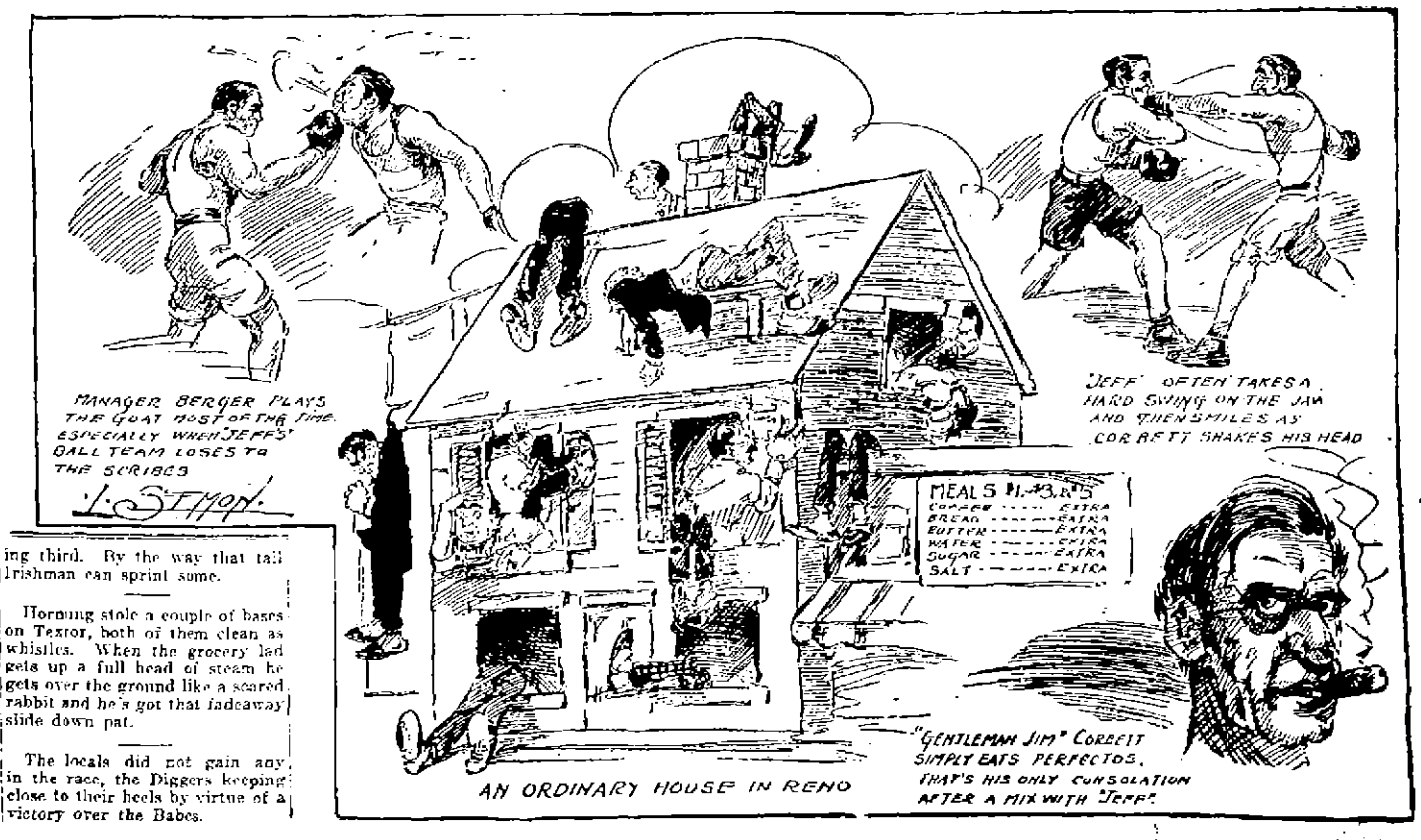
This was practically the last work that the big fellow will do, with the exception of enough limbering up practice to keep his weight at about the present notch. He is said to scale 209 now.

Munk started nicely and for five innings retired the locals in order. But in the sixth he was pounded cruelly and was tickled to death when the bombardment ceased.

Louis Doerr, the laundryman who was threatened with fever, was able to be about again Friday.

You should see Winter's premiums.

A SCRIBE ON THE SPOT SEES JEFFRIES TRAINING QUARTERS.



THE LITTLE QUAKERESS

By Harriet Riddle Davis

"If Chance will have me king, why, Chance may crown me."—Macbeth.

SHE was called Jamie—simply Jamie. Her soft, wavy hair was dark and was tossed back from her face much as a boy's would have been. Over the bridge of her nose was a world of little brown freckles that spread out upon her cheeks, through the tan of which bloomed a tint that rivaled the rose of Sharon. Her eyes—a pair of keen, young eyes—looked at you fearlessly and confidently, with all the frank assurance of girlhood, and yet there was in their depths something older and deeper, that belonged distinctly to womanhood. She was only a slip of a girl, perhaps seventeen, perhaps more. She wore a clean cotton frock, into the faded belt of which was thrust, in plain sight, a big, unwieldy horse-pistol, every chamber of which contained its clumsy death-dealing charge; and in lieu of a cartridge-belt her pocket sagged low with ammunition. In her hand she held an old straw hat which she was swinging back and forth by one string, as she walked rapidly over the farm in the early September morning. She cast quick, searching glances all around, and every now and then she paused and listened acutely as if for some expected sound.

No sign of human life or human toil greeted her anywhere or broke the drowsy stillness of the newly awakened day. On all sides were tokens of an arrested workday life. The great doors of the empty barn were yawning wide. Down the meadow path that led in a zig-zag fashion to the dairy, the weeds were springing up thick and luxuriant, while the spring bubbled and babbled over the stones in the idyllic quiet of the meadow grass.

Jamie stared at every familiar feature of the scene, and there gradually stole over her face a look of anxiety and care; then she proceeded resolutely to make the rounds of all the deserted outbuildings to see that no one was harbored therein. She peered into the dairy, the smoke-house, corn-house, barn and finally into the stable—the big stable which in its amplitude told of an earlier, more prosperous day, but which on this September morning, sheltered but one beast of any kind, Ande, her father's horse. She went into his stall and called him softly.

"Ande!"

The horse whinnied in response, and the girl rubbed his nose and stroked him lovingly; then she pulled down some hay from a rack over his head, talking to him as she gave him his breakfast.

"No, Ande, if they come they shan't have thee; thee is the only one left; thee belongs to father, and I have promised to protect thee."

All the day before there had been the rumble and roar of the guns, and after the guns had ceased, all through the night there had been the rush and tramp of men and horses on the turnpike. The army had fallen back, and the hot, sunny morning dawned on an empty village.

Jamie pondered it all as she made her way slowly back to the house. In the outside summer kitchen she found Uncle Reno preparing breakfast. It was only to consist of a little meal made into a hoe-cake and baked in the hot ashes of the big fireplace, for everything on the farm had long since been carried off by the marching troops of both armies. When she entered the kitchen old Reno asked anxiously:

"Where you been, honey? I don't like you to prowl 'roun', for these ain' safe times for a miss like you."

"Oh, I'm armed, Uncle Reno, and thee knows I can handle this old pistol almost as well as father can, and I'm determined if they come they shall not find anything."

"There's Ande, miss."

"They won't find Ande."

"But, miss, they'll see him mighty quick; they'll take him like they've done everything else, an' I can't do nothin' to prevent."

"But I shall prevent, Uncle Reno." And there was a flash of determination in her eyes.

"Law, miss, you's only a girl; they ain' goin' to min' you, honey; these is war times."

Jamie did not reply. She passed into the inner room, where, involuntarily, she quieted her gait and subdued her excited face as she approached an invalid chair that was wheeled in front of an open window. Instantly, the quick mother eyes greeted her approach with anxiety, while the mother's voice asked:

"Has thee heard anything more this morning, daughter? Has thee been to the village?"

"Yes, I've been to the village, mother, and there's nobody there but Judah. Everybody has run away."

There was silence, while both listened intently. Then Jamie said with conviction:

"Mother, those guns are nearer than yesterday. Judah says, from the massing of troops in these parts, that there is going to be heavy fighting. I'll bring thee thy breakfast and Uncle Reno shall stay with thee while I run to the village and see if there is anyone passing with news. There'll likely be some one with despatches riding through who'll——"

"No, Jamie, no; thee must not stir from me; I fear for thee."

Jamie touched the butt of her old pistol and said gravely:

"Mother, have no fear! I'm safe; I can use this, if need be. Let me go to the edge of the farm and have a look up and down the turnpike; I'll come back soon."

And before the anxious mother could protest, Jamie, with a resolute look on her face, hurried to the kitchen and said to Uncle Reno:

"Uncle Reno, take mother her breakfast; don't leave her until I come back, and protect her with thy very life if anyone comes. I'm going to—but never mind me."

And the girl was out of the door, down the back steps, and over the soft grass before Uncle Reno could protest or even understand what she was going to do. Her lithe young figure went rushing to the stable, accompanied every step of the way by the deep, steady boom of artillery. She entered the stable hurriedly, found an empty sack, filled it with corn from a peck measure, spilling almost as much as she put into it. She jerked down the bridle which hung over an iron staple, and with trembling fingers adjusted it over Ande's ears, having to stand on tiptoe to reach up to him. Then, throwing the sack of corn over his back, she led him out of the stable, lightly sprang up on his back, and bareheaded, set out with quick speed down the back lane.

She smiled grimly to herself. Ande seemed to understand her. He arched his neck and stepped out rapidly but surely, so surely, indeed, that not a grain of corn was dropped from the carelessly fastened sack. When they were about to emerge from the shelter of the woods to the turnpike, Jamie cast a [illegible] up and down, but she could only see as far as the bend in the road and there was no sound save [illegible] of the distant battle. Just beyond the bend she would enter the woods, the densest woods in all that [illegible] land. Ande instinctively hurried along [illegible] but when they reached the bend just beyond which safety was a surety, there suddenly rode [illegible] them a blue-coated officer and two soldiers. They were dusty from long riding, and their faces were bronzed and weather-beaten.

Jamie's heart beat quickly. If Ande would only come down to a humdrum jog-trot, perhaps, with her sack of corn, they would pass for common folk and so slip by. But no sooner did the quick eye of the young officer fall upon her and note Ande's good points than he reined up suddenly and called out sharply:

"Halt!"

But Jamie did not halt. She clapped the heels of her shoes on Ande's sides and the horse bounded forward as from a spur.

The officer dashed ahead and snatched the bridle out of her hand, calling out:

"Halt, I say! Don't you hear?"

Jamie halted, mute and rebellious. She laid her hand instinctively upon the pistol at her belt, and looked with full, steady eyes into the face of her captor. He met her look with one as full and steady.

"I am very sorry, but my orders are to take the first horse that will suit the General, and I am afraid that yours will suit; I shall have to ask you to accompany me."

"Oh, please," broke out Jamie, supplicatingly, "this is father's horse, the only one we have left. Father has been arrested and taken to headquarters. We are Friends, and we are loyal Friends, but never fight, thee knows. Thee's a Union officer, so please let me go; I want to get back to mother before the battle is over, for we shall be overrun with troops, either friends or foes, and I must be there to help Uncle Reno protect mother. Please let me go!"

Over the officer's face there swept a mingling of expressions during this appeal. It was many a long month since he had heard a woman's voice and it was the first time in all his life that the quaint language of the Friends had fallen upon his ear, or that such an appeal had been addressed to him. There sprang to his eyes a sudden look of deep respect. He softened his voice to answer:

"I cannot let you go; you will have to come with me, though no queen in her own kingdom shall be more courteously treated than you, but the General has halted with his command only a little way behind us. He has use for such a horse as yours, and I must needs obey."

It seemed to the girl that they rode for miles. She would not accept the improvised hat which the officer solicitously offered her. She would make no reply to his eager though courteous efforts to draw her into conversation.

Suddenly they came within sound of voices, the stamping of horses, the clash of arms. A bugle call was heard, and then a loud, rough voice cried out in jovial wonder:

"Lord, what's the Lieutenant picked up now?"

And Jamie found herself riding between file after file of soldiers. The turnpike and the woods were alive with them. They had stacked arms for a brief halt; they were reinforcements of the main command about to join in the battle.

Her intrepid heart was thumping madly as she saw the grimy, dusty bearded faces on all sides. What were they going to do with her? She set her teeth and held back the frightened tears that were so near at hand. She was too excited to heed the report that her captor was making to the commanding officer, or to note the surprised eyes of the staff upon her. She heard herself addressed in a kindly voice, and she looked up into kindly eyes that reminded her of her father's. She knew at once that she was in the presence of the General himself.

"What is your name? Don't be afraid," said he.

"My name is Jamie."

"Jamie? Jamie what? What is your father's name?"

"Father's name is David Passmore."

"David Passmore?" echoed the General in surprise. It was a name that had occurred in recent reports and was troubling him not a little. He thought for a moment with wrinkling brows, and said finally:

"Tell me where you live and all about your father, and how you happened to be alone on the public road on such a morning as this with so valuable a horse."

"I live just a few miles below here. Our place is known as Passmore Farm. Father is a Friend, and a month ago he was arrested. An order was issued to compel everybody in these parts to take the oath, but father, though a Union man, is a Friend, and Friends cannot swear or take any kind of an oath, for it's against our Discipline. So father was suspected and taken to headquarters, and we have not seen him since."

Jamie's lips quivered and her eyes filled. The General said, kindly:

"Go on!"

"Well, there is no one left on the farm now but Uncle Reno, mother and me, and I promised to protect mother, who is crippled, and to take care of father's horse, Ande. Thee sees we have to feed all the soldiers who come our way, and so nothing is left; we've given up everything we had to the soldiers, and we have nothing to eat ourselves; and when the battle began at daybreak, I just thought I'd——"

Jamie stopped; then, looking into the General's eyes, she went on:

"I meant to take Ande and hide him in the woods to save him from the soldiers; and please, please, won't thee let me go home and take Ande with me? Oh, do! Mother is so crippled, and——"

The deep entreaty of her face was pathetic to see. There was a pause broken only by the impatient stamp of the horses. She watched the General's face and asked with sudden swiftness:

"Has thee any daughter of thy own at home?"

This was too much. More than one hand went up to cover twitching lips. The General's eyes brimmed over. He thought of a lonely girl far away in the North. He spoke caressingly, after a moment:

"Jamie, you are a brave girl. I wish I had a whole army of such as you [illegible]."

[illegible] who, with a quick [illegible]. The General ran them [illegible] hurriedly, then, [illegible] scribbled something [illegible] back [illegible] of [illegible] the order is [illegible] [illegible] return [illegible] with [illegible]

[illegible], said, kindly:

[illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible] but I can answer for his bravery."

"Oh, no, little one; you may keep Ande."

"But I want thee to have him; mother would be so ashamed of me if I did not give him freely after all thee has done for us."

The General thought of his own spent war-horse. He heard the distant boom of the battle. He must push on. He took the outstretched bridle, looked into the earnest face upturned to him, and said:

"I shall borrow Ande until I can find another horse. He shall be returned to you. Now, good-by."

He saluted her with grave military precision, the whole staff following his example. The word must have been passed down the line, for each file of troops, as it marched past her, presented arms. When the last of them had vanished, and the drums were growing faint in the distance, she remained with the great stretch of glaring, dusty turnpike before her and the dense woods behind her. A little apart stood her escort, the very embodiment of careful military attention. He held by the bridle two cavalry horses, one of which was intended for her homeward journey, while beyond awaited a detail of mounted men, grim and immovable in their saddles. Jamie looked at them ruefully; then she studied the grave face of the officer for a moment, and finally, bending her head to him, said with all the command of a sovereign,

"Ride forward with thy men! I will follow."

A faint smile played for a moment around his lips. He said courteously and gently as if to a child:

"Pray let me put you in the saddle. I have adjusted it to your use as best I could."

Jamie hesitated, but realizing the futility of mounting unassisted the jaded, heavy, war-horse before her, she yielded with simple dignity. In a few minutes the odd cavalcade set out in entire silence for the old farm.

The sun by this time was high in the heavens and the morning was well advanced. As they traversed this road over which Jamie had come as a captive only a little while before, it is safe to say that the thoughts of both these young people were employed with the previous encounter.

Indeed, there was one wide place in the middle of the turnpike where a heap of glittering yellow corn lay scattered, and as Jamie's eyes swept over it a tint such as her face had never known before rose up, covering all the brown freckles on the bridge of her nose and even joining the edge of her hair. She stole a quick look at her escort, who was riding silently apart from her, but her hasty, timid look was met and held captive by a deep, steady gaze, such as made her open her eyes in startled wonder and impelled her to rush into speech, the first that had broken the silence of the long hot ride!

"The fighting has stopped. I wonder what it means? Does thee think it is over?"

He drew rein, and listened, then said, indifferently:

"It is only an interval in the firing. A parley has been sounded. The fighting will last several days."

Jamie stopped suddenly in the road as though struck with a new idea, and said decisively:

"It is not a bit necessary for thee to come any further with me. I'm near home, and thy duty is in yonder fight."

"No, my duty is yourself at present. You heard the General, did you not?"

"Yes, but he will need all his men, and he would be glad to see thee, I feel sure."

"He would be more likely to court-martial me, and I am very well content with this detail," he replied [illegible] only too glad to be on conversational terms with [illegible].

"But thee will lose the fight," persisted she.

"Oh, I don't mind that," he rejoined quickly.

"I don't believe thee has any patriotism," she said, contemptuously.

"[illegible]," he replied, cheerfully.

"[illegible] believe thee was ever in a battle," she [illegible], and yet with a tone of dis[illegible] creeping into her voice.

He [illegible] suddenly and said, gaily, bringing [illegible]:

"[illegible] I was ever under fire I was too [illegible] to discharge my musket, and when the [illegible] of the enemy swept over me I found myself lying face downward in the sand!"

"[illegible] that was dreadful!" said the girl naively; then she brightened up for a new thought and asked, [illegible]:

"But how was it in thy last battle?"

A swift shade passed over his face. He answered reluctantly:

"Oh, well, the last battle—that was different, somehow. But I see that you yourself carry arms?" he continued, quickly turning the conversation to her.

"Yes," she answered, becoming grave at once, "this is father's old pistol, and we are two defenceless women; so I——," she paused, then added, suddenly:

"Yonder is the village. Thee can see my home from here." And turning toward him with quaint courtesy she said: "We shall be glad to make thee welcome, and ——"

But she did not finish her sentence. Her escort was not heeding her. He had paused and was shading his eyes with his hand while he gazed intently at the not far distant village. A strained expression began to gather on his face.

"What does thee see?" asked Jamie, breathlessly, as she followed his gaze. She could see only a thick cloud of dust rising a quarter of a mile away, but she could hear distinctly the mighty rush of galloping hoofs.

"They're troops. It looks as though they were trying to gain the village and make a stand. There'll be bloody work." He turned to Jamie with a white face and asked hurriedly:

"Is there any road that turns off between here and the village?"

"No, none."

He jumped to the ground instantly, and began throwing off the rails of the worn fence, saying rapidly in a tone of command:

"You must ride across this field and gain the shelter of the woods. Ride low in your saddle and keep well behind the trees!"

"But who are they? What does it mean?" asked she, not stirring.

"It is a flying column of Longstreet's men, and by God, they're coming straight on. They're upon us now—quick!" cried he to the girl.

"But I'm armed; I'm not afraid; I'm going to stay. Oh, let me stay, do!" entreated she.

"Go, go, go! For God's sake, go!" cried he, wildly.

"But thee?"

"Go, Jamie, go!" was his only answer.

Jamie rode stumblingly into the field and across the stubble; then she wheeled about suddenly, just in time to see the little handful of men that formed her escort, spread themselves out across the turnpike, and with the true instinct of the soldier, endeavor to hold the enemy against as heavy odds as were ever given or taken.

The mighty column bore down upon them. Sword blades flashed high in the sunlight and a clash of arms and a fusilade of carbines rang out on the September stillness, mingled with shouts and curses. Then the column rode on.

Jamie closed her eyes and sat rigidly in her saddle; then when the rush of galloping horses had died on the air, she made her way gropingly and blindly back to the gap in the worn fence. She slipped down from her horse, and with trembling steps approached the turnpike. She did not dare to raise her eyes, knowing what must lie before her. After a moment she nerved herself to glance about. A ghastly heap of men and horses lay in inextricable confusion in the dusty road. She did not look among them lest she should see the face of the young lieutenant, who had just made the gallant stand against the enemy. She stood dazed and confused, not knowing which way to go or what to do, and realizing that there was no help in the village. She was roused by a hoarse voice, saying:

"The Lieutenant is here, miss, wounded! If we only had something to bind up this sword-cut and staunch the blood!"

Jamie was at once alert. She recognized three of her escort, trying to support the reeling form of their commanding officer, across whose shoulder and arm ran a deep, gaping wound. His head had fallen forward on his breast, and the roadway was dyed with his blood. As quick to act as to think, she stooped and tore from her belt the skirt of her cotton frock, and while tearing it into bandages said with the authority of one in command:

"Lay him down flat! Cut off his coat and flannel shirt! One of you hold this end while I bind together the edges of the wound—so!"

One of the men spoke up with a lowered voice.

"We'd better try to make a tourniquet, miss; I'm afraid of this spurting blood."

"Does thee know how?" she asked. He nodded, and they set to work. With deft fingers, such as would have done credit to army nurses, they stanched the blood and bound up the wounds, but Jamie found that there was also a bullet wound given at short range, and she set her lips to keep down a surge of faintness and horror. At last she said:

"Now lift him gently! You three men must carry him to the farm, which is only just over there by the village. We can come back afterward for the poor fellows who lie here. Three of our men among them, you say? Poor, brave 'fellows,'" and the tears welled up to her eyes. She asked: "Are you ready? Go on, then, and I will lead the horses home!"

The little procession moved slowly forward, leaving behind them the ghastly heap to the silence of the hot, dusty turnpike.

A warm, hazy October sun had risen over the land and was shining benignly down upon all the countryside. In the village the smoke could be seen curling from every chimney. There was the hum of work upon the old farm, for David Passmore had come into his kingdom once more. The cattle had been driven up from their long shelter in the woods, and the drowsy tinkle of their bells had superseded fife, drum and bugle call. The invading army had returned and the fighting was over.

But Jim Ayer had been left behind a victim of sword and bullet.

Ever since the day a month gone that Jamie had appeared before the startled eyes of her mother and Uncle Reno, accompanied by the strange group of men and horses, this wounded man had been the daily, nightly care of the two women, and when he had been at his worst, the country doctor's old white horse had stood for days hitched to the fence. But now Jim Ayer was convalescent, and lay watching with eager, hollow eyes, the movements of his young nurse.

If by chance she went beyond the reach of his vision, his pinched face would turn on the pillow to follow her, and his voice would call feebly:

"Miss Jamie!"

Jamie would come quickly to his call and stand beside him with pity, and sometimes with something more than pity, in her eyes, of which she was all unconscious, but which he longed and dared to interpret for himself. When she would ask:

"Can I do something for thee? Shall I shake up thy cushion?"

He would say, unblushingly:

"I think I have fever to-day," knowing full well that her soft young hand would quickly seek his pulse or for an instant brush his forehead like the wing of a dove.

Gradually, as his strength returned, and the life-blood flowed once more in his veins, he began to feel a savage impatience with the restraint he had to exercise. He knew only too well how short his grace was, and how near was the day when he must mount and ride away. One day, when he was sitting in the shelter of the porch, he said, with a touch of audacity:

"Miss Jamie, don't the Quakers have some queer ceremony such as stepping over a broom-stick when they marry?"

"Is thee asking such a question to make a jest of us?" asked she, with a sudden flash in her eyes.

"No, no, a thousand times, no! Your customs are not like ours, particularly those pertaining to marriage, and I am very much interested in the question. Won't you tell me about it?"

"I will get thee our Discipline, and thee can read it for thyself."

"Oh, no, don't go for the book! I'd rather hear it from your own lips."

Jamie looked at him and said, doubtfully:

"I have never seen but one marriage of Friends. Thee knows that we say our own marriage words. We sit side by side——"

"Just as we are sitting now?" interrupted he with the utmost gravity. Jamie glanced at him questioningly. He added hastily:

"Go on! What do you say? What is your formula?"

She hesitated, then began in an uncertain voice, "In the presence of the Lord and before this assemblage, I take—I take——" She stopped suddenly, unaccountably embarrassed.

He leaned toward her, laying his hand on hers, and, looking into her eyes, supplied his own name in a low voice, "James Ayer."

"Oh, no!" exclaimed Jamie, trying to draw away.

"Oh, yes!" cried he, closing his hand in a strong pressure on hers. Then, throwing all prudence aside, he said rapidly, and impetuously:

"Jamie, my time is up. I must join my command and go into battle, and I must go with your name on my lips. Already a part of your name is mine, but I want a promise of the whole. I——"

"Oh, I can't, I can't!" she cried, trying to turn her face away from the eager eyes that were so near her own. He stooped his head and pressed his lips to the hands he held, then daringly carried them to the cheek that was partly turned from him, and said:

"I know this is a soldier's rough wooing and ill-suited to your youth, but I know that you have the courage to be a soldier's wife, for I have not forgotten that you would have stayed with me to hold Longstreet's men on the turnpike. You nursed me back to life, and I cannot believe that you will send me into battle and deny me what will give me courage."

Jamie's face drooped. She could not speak, and she did not dare even to meet his eyes. He spoke again after a moment, with tense voice:

"You know, Jamie, that a soldier is taught to take by strategy or force whatever holds out against him, and if you don't surrender, why I shall——"

But without waiting to explain what his campaign would be, Jim Ayer gathered her impetuously to him, and, as even his wounded arm was sufficient to hold her against his heart, any resistance was futile. Indeed, after a moment all resistance ceased.

She remained passively silent for a few minutes, then she stole an upward look at him and said plaintively, in a half whisper:

"But all this will do no good. Thee knows that no Friend can ever marry a soldier."

"I know one friend who can and will," said he exultantly, then he asked:

"Jamie, will you say the words of your marriage to me now, as a promise for the future?"

She hung her head, then began in a low voice:

"In the presence of the Lord, and before this assembly, I take——"

"Jim Ayer," he supplied again.

"Jim Ayer," she assented, softly, "to be my husband, promising, with divine assistance to be unto him a loving and faithful wife till death shall separate us."

"Amen!" said he, reverently, then added: "No bullet can touch me now. I shall come back for your promise and you, Jamie?"

"When thee comes back for me I shall keep the promise," she said, simply.

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NEXT WEEK: "A TRICK OF FATE" By INEZ HAYNES GILLMORE

The Boss of the Establishment

He Grieves Over the Worldliness of the Feminine Sex.

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BY AMERE MANN.

"My dear," said the wife of the Boss of the Establishment, "may I ask why you have been wearing that sanctimonious expression ever since you came home?"

The Boss, immersed in a very dry looking pamphlet, dropped his solemnity for the moment and answered briskly:—"I was just waiting for you to say something. I'm fixing my face for a call on your new rector this evening. He stopped me outside a while ago and was reproachful because you had not returned his wife's visit. I said we'd run over for a little while after dinner. This book," he added, "is his latest lecture on the care of wayward boys."

"I'm glad you said we'd go," his wife answered cheerfully. "She seemed a charming woman, but I've been wondering what all these weird preparations of yours are for! For instance a while ago you were scrubbing away at your fingers with pumice stone till I thought you must be going to open a safe by the sense of touch. You remember that play

THE GIANTS WON! CALLED OUT THE RECTOR.

we saw where the safe-breaker sandpapered his fingers?"

"Yes," said the Boss grandiloquently, "but my efforts were in a worthier cause. I was trying to remove the traces of the deadly cigarette habit."

"Why, you don't think they are that sort of people, do you?" his wife protested. "She didn't impress me that way at all!"

"I think," the Boss answered solemnly, "that it is useless to shock the sensibilities of one's friends by the display of opinions or habits that they must find displeasing. When you call on the rector do as the rector does," he added.

"Yes, but what right have you to assume that the rector is narrow minded and meddling and bigoted?" cross-questioned the lady.

"Bigoted! Not at all," the Boss answered quickly. "It would be much better for me if I never smoked."

"You say that only because you like to think it's bad for you and you enjoy it more, his wife accused. "But anyway, I don't care. I'm going to wear my new embroidered white dress and my big hat with the yellow feathers, and you can act like the secretary of the Y. M. C. A. if you want to!"

"That big, fuzzy hat!" exclaimed the horrified Boss. "I can't think of anything more inappropriate! You don't want her to go around saying you look theatrical, do you?"

The Boss found the notion of the [illegible] so shocking that for [illegible] in his life he condescended to [illegible].

"Why don't you wear that simple [illegible] gray dress that you look so [illegible] in, and that becoming sailor [illegible] with it? "And then proudly [illegible] that he was talking like [illegible] article he added [illegible] and alpaca gloves?"

"Alpaca gloves!"

[illegible] of his wife's tone [illegible] the Boss' pride like a piece [illegible] paper under a sun glass.

[illegible] What [illegible] you possibly [illegible] by that?"

[illegible] cloth, then," the Boss [illegible] "not those crinkly [illegible]. The rector would be sure [illegible] them worldly."

[illegible] Boss' wife heaved a hopeless [illegible] the appearance of the [illegible] to announce dinner prevented [illegible] audible comment.

[illegible] Boss' wife observed that at [illegible] of their meal his zeal to [illegible] right impression at the [illegible] did not prevent the Boss' [illegible] of his customary after [illegible] cigar, and [illegible] his efforts to disguise [illegible] by chewing orris root [illegible] cloves in quick succession [illegible] so frantic that she ex[illegible]

[illegible] disguises will certainly [illegible] away. But never mind [illegible] yourself up as a little [illegible] just to please you—and [illegible] forget the alpaca gloves." [illegible] very attractive woman [illegible] was ushered an hour later [illegible] drawing room of the new [illegible] home.

[illegible] was a very radiant vision [illegible] white draperies, with a [illegible] question of decollete, that [illegible] Boss' sombrely attired wife made known to her lord as the rector's wife.

"I'm so glad you've brought your husband to see me at last!" exclaimed the Radiant Vision. "The rector'll be back in a moment. He's just stepped out to buy a baseball extra! I suppose you know he's a most enthusiastic fan!"

"No," said the astounded boss, "I didn't know."

And just then the rector, who wore a purple tie, swung breezily into the room.

"The Giants won!" he called out, waving a pink extra. "By golly, they're putting up a great game!"

"Yes," agreed the Boss, after he had swallowed hard, "they are!" And then, by way of getting into the proper clerical stride, he added:—"We're a little late, because I was so much absorbed in reading your excellent pamphlet on the care of wayward boys. I agree thoroughly with the suggestions you advance."

"Thank you, thank you! That's very good of you," said the rector, rather perfunctorily.

"Yes," said the Boss, "the problem of adolescence is indeed a great one!"

"Quite so, quite so," the rector interrupted in his most professional manner, and then suddenly a gleam of real interest lighted his face. "Say," he said, "they tell me you're quite an expert on sporting matters! Do you think the Jeffries-Johnson fight is on the level? Have a cigarette?"

As the dazed Boss reached an uncertain hand toward the shining cigarette case the rector extended, somewhere from the vicinity of a Quaker gray frock, a sailor hat and "alpaca gloves," there came a distinct giggle.

Compensation.

By quitting business early he
May miss both wealth and fame,
His wife may scold,
His meals grow cold,
But he saw the baseball game.
T. E. M.

Grand Picnic

At Gleim's Grove near Wheelersburg, Monday, July 4th. Everybody invited.

By order of Committee.

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Enlarging His Plant

Leslie Conger, son of Rev. F. D. Conger is enlarging his printing establishment at the rear of their home corner of Eighth and Washington streets.

Grocer Alva Chabot and wife and the former's father, J. A. Chabot are enjoying an outing in Pennsylvania.

John Sells Fire Works

John Bienewald opened a fireworks stand on the Gallia street esplanade Friday afternoon and business started off with a hum.

Special prices on fire works Saturday at the Corner Book Store, Second and Chillicothe Sts. 1-2

Barefoot sandals at Winter's.

Will Return To His Run

Engineer Jos. Knoppe of the B. & O. S.-W. who was injured in a wreck recently, expects to return to duty next week.

Census returns show that the population of the District of Columbia is 331,069 souls. Nonsense. Must have that many in the Treasury Department.

HERE'S A REAL PHENOM

Dr. G. Wash. Williams is one man in Portsmouth who is not affected by the hot weather or [illegible] that he is not. Neither has [illegible] a hankering after a summer vacation which is common to most mortals. He dropped such general information while in conversation with some gentlemen Friday evening and offers to lay a bet that he will not take a few days off this summer.

NEW STYLE ON CAREY'S RUN

Carey's Run, July 1. It has become very necessary for all men who travel up and down this place to wear the new style apron [illegible] at top and bottom for fear of lunacy [illegible].

Warren Canter.

SKIPPED OUT OWING BILL

Mrs. John Nunley of No. 53 East Sixth street, Friday appealed to the police to head off John Stevens and family who owed her a $3 dairy bill for furnishing milk while all were laid up with measles. Stevens and his tribe succeeded in moving to Kentucky, before officers could invoke the law.

Baucus Has Not Decided

James A. Baucus said Friday that he had not as yet decided whether or not he will make any further attempt to recover the office of police chief.

Ladies' shoes 99c at Winter's.

Well Known Daughters of Famous Men

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JOSEPHINE DASKAM BACON.

Mrs. Selden Bacon, who now writes under the name of Josephine Daskam Bacon, made her earlier successes while still a school girl under her maiden name of Josephine Dodge Daskam. She was born in Stamford, Conn., and her father, H. Sawyer Daskam, claims his descent from the old Huguenot family D'Askam. Her mother was Anne Loring, descended from the Aldens of Mayflower renown.

It was while an undergraduate at Smith college that Miss Daskam attracted general attention by her "Smith College Stories," with her graphic depiction of life in her class, where she was editor-in-chief of the Smith College Monthly, the composer of class songs and poems, and the Ivy orator. The first book was so well received that a second was demanded, and "A Sister's Vacation and Other Girls' Stories" followed.

Not long afterward readers of short stories all over the country were chuckling over her story in McClure's called, "The Madness of Philip," which made an impression as marked as did Myra Kelly's first story, "A Little Matter of Real Estate." Poems, essays and short stories by Miss Daskam followed in quick succession in the Atlantic, Scribner's, Harper's and the Century.

"The Madness of Philip" gave the title to a volume of short stories that soon followed. In 1903 Miss Daskam married Selden Bacon, a New York lawyer who had studied at the University of Wisconsin and Yale. That same year a collection of her poems, marked by a commendable sincerity and deep emotional insight, was published.

Soon afterwards Mrs. Bacon, who had written with such delicious humor about children, was rocking a cradle of her own, and presently published "The Memoirs of a Baby." The fun begins with the baby himself. The various agitations of the young mother, the common sense and amusement of the young father, and the strenuous exertions of Aunt Emma to teach them what to do at the proper time in order

MRS JOSEPHINE DASKAM BACON

to bring the baby through his various crises, are all irresistibly funny. The book was followed by a sequel showing the baby as a growing boy. Under the pen name of Ingraham Lovell Mrs. Bacon published her next book, "Margarita's Soul; the Recollections of a Man of Fifty." The book made an immediate sensation, and the lovers of William J. Locke's novels insisted that he was the unknown author, and refused to believe otherwise until the author's real name was printed on the title page of later editions.

The Ohlooker

There's an international puzzle in the case of Porter Charlton. Also a puzzle as to the best way of keeping the young man out of the reach of the dead woman's brother.

Waitress hurt by a Fifth avenue stage was awarded $17.50 damages. Quite right. Maybe the decision accounts for the increased hauteur on the part of the sisterhood noticeable lately.

See that the American midshipmen on their world cruise are "doing" London. Bully. Hope they'll never be "doing" London in any other way.

Will of a local judge bequeathes his law library to a friend and $3,000 cash to the wife who left him. Grateful to the last.

News of Count Zeppelin's passenger airship now sailing daily brings from the Weary Willies and knights of the brakebeam the doleful cry, "What's going to become of us?"

Learn from Pekin that the opening up of Lhasa, in Tibet, was perfectly justifiable, as the Dalai Lama had arbitrarily beheaded Hootookatoo. However, it's all right now. Hootookatoo's confiscated wealth has been ordered restored to his family, although, of course, they can't give him back his head.

Notice that Colonel Roosevelt, desiring to enter upon a period of rest, sent for Gifford Pinchot, deposed chief of the forestry service, and James R. Garfield, former Secretary of the Interior. When the Colonel is so wearied that he really has to sleep he seeks a boiler factory when the hands are working overtime.

"There are 1500 seats in the amphitheatre, and one good thing is that you are bound to get a seat," says Senator "Big Tim" Sullivan, speaking of the Oberammergau production. "They do not oversell the capacity." Great. The Senator might recall this fact when street car measures are up.

The German city of Frankfort, in addition to maintaining a municipal fish market, supplies women with a fish cook book free of all charge. Splendid idea. When is [illegible] may expect to see the [illegible] Dinner and a Recipe for Ptomaine Poisoning, Fifty Cents?"

It must grate on Boston that the literary centre has shifted itself to California.—St. Louis Post Dispatch. Didn't stop there long enough to hurt. Changed to Oyster Bay for a minute and is now hiking for Reno, Nev.

The Daily Times Saturday Song Hit.

Song of the Heart

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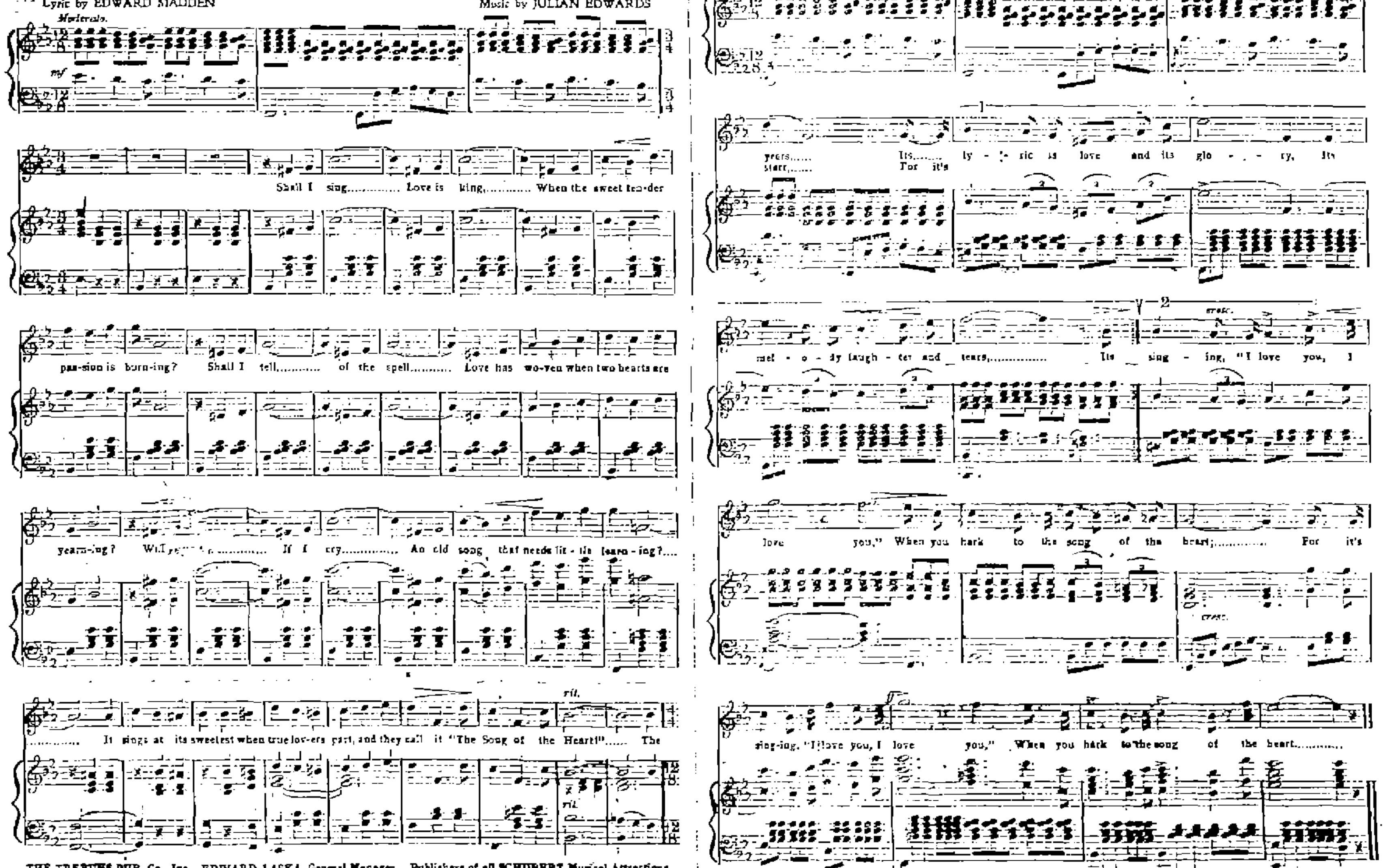

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For Every Boy and Girl

The Magic Teapot

HAI-YAH!" exclaimed Wang Er, jumping out of bed and running to the window. "What can be going on?"

The sun was only just beginning to show its great red face above the hilltops, so it was not very light out of doors. But Wang Er's sharp eyes recognized the Emperor's heralds passing by the tiny hut where he and his mother lived all alone.

"Hear! hear!" lustily shouted the heralds. "The princess, the august emperor's only child, has been stolen! Upon him who restores her to her royal father there will be bestowed not only rare jewels, but a high degree of scholarship!"

"I hope the poor princess is being treated well," said Wang Er, as he turned from the window and began dressing.

After breakfast Wang Er went out in the tiny vegetable garden to pull up weeds; but scarcely had he begun when he saw before him the tiniest, daintiest, loveliest shoe imaginable. It was made of silk, heavily embroidered and encrusted with pearls and rubies.

When Wang Er had recovered from his astonishment enough to be able to move, he picked up the shoe and carried it to his mother, who said at once:

"Surely this is the princess's shoe, and finding it here means that the poor child has been stolen by the fung-shui (evil fairies) and hidden in the cave."

"Of course!" exclaimed Wang Er. "I was stupid not to think of that."

Not far from this little home was a vast cave that people dared not go near, much less enter, because the farmers who lived near by had so many vegetables stolen from their gardens, and found so many strange, tiny footprints, that there could be no doubt at all but that evil fairies dwelt in the cave.

There was nothing cowardly about Wang Er, and, after a few minutes of deep thought, he said very decidedly:

"I must go into the cave and try to rescue the princess."

His mother began to weep, and sobbed:

"Oh, my son! my son! the terrible fung-shui will kill you!"

"Mother," answered Wang Er, tears in his own eyes, "your son will obey you implicitly, but have not you yourself taught me always to serve the emperor to the best of my ability?—and his only child, the princess, is in the power of the fung-shui."

The mother choked back her sobs, wiped her eyes, and said:

"True, my son. Hasten to the aid of his imperial majesty's child!"

She held her son in a long, silent embrace, and then watched him, through her tears, as he went toward the cave, until he was no longer in sight.

It occurred to Wang Er that it would be wise to ask some one to join him in this [illegible] undertaking; so he went to the house of his dearest friend—a boy of his own age whose name has long since been forgotten—and persuaded him to go too. It must be confessed, however, that the friend [illegible] refused to accompany Wang Er until assured that riches and [illegible] would be given to the rescuer of the princess.

When the boys reached the entrance to the cave, which was a deep dry well, they fastened one end of a long rope to the well-curb, and dropped the other end down the well. Then Wang Er climbed down, closely followed by his friend.

At the bottom of the well was a narrow passage leading into the cave where the darkness was so intense that Wang Er's lantern threw but a feeble light.

The boys groped their way [illegible] beating hearts, [illegible] until at last, when weary [illegible] found themselves [illegible] Wang Er held up his lantern [illegible] to the amazement [illegible] carved upon it:

ONLY WANG ER
CAN OPEN ME

"This rock is really a great stone [illegible]" said Wang Er, "and I am going to open [illegible] be a trick the fung-shui are playing [illegible]"

Then he [illegible] pulled [illegible] though weighing several [illegible] his touch as easily as [illegible] light revealed a wretched [illegible] corner, on the damp stone [illegible] young girl, weeping [illegible] covered with rich embroidery [illegible] in her hair. [illegible] place.

"Are [illegible] not his imperial majesty's [illegible]" asked Wang Er.

"Alas, yes!" sobbed the [illegible]

"Cease weeping! We are going to take you home to your father." Be brave and hurry, your highness, for the fung-shui may return at any moment."

The princess needed no further urging, but arose at once, and all three, hand in hand, groped through the darkness, trying to find the narrow passage into the well. By great good fortune they found it in half the time that it had taken to reach the dungeon.

After the friend had climbed out of the well Wang Er tied the rope around the princess, and anxiously watched as she was drawn up the well, sighing happily when she was safely out. Then he impatiently waited for the rope to be lowered that he, too, might leave the dismal place. But, although he waited a long time, and shouted loudly, he saw neither the rope nor heard a sound from his friend. Finally he was forced to acknowledge to himself that he had been deserted and left to perish.

Overcome at the thought of his friend's treachery he wept bitterly. But it occurred to him shortly that the fung-shui might return at any moment and find him there, and it would be well to look for some place to conceal himself. He again entered the cave and wandered about a long time without finding a hiding-place. Finally his lantern went out and he was forced to grope his way through complete darkness. He dared not stop to rest fearing the fung-shui, but went painfully on and on, occasionally exclaiming, "Oh, my poor mother! I fear I shall never see her again!" At last he saw trees and sky through the opening, and, quickly running forward, emerged from the gloomy cave into bright sunshine that so dazzled his eyes he was obliged to close them for a time.

The light in a little while had grown dazzlingly bright and he found he was standing beside a lake.

On the opposite shore was a large pavilion, its roof supported by immense white pillars.

There was a bridge across the lake and Wang Er walked over it. The path leading to the pavilion was bordered by wondrous plants, and thousands of birds sang constantly. Wang Er was enchanted with all this beauty.

Suddenly a hoarse, awful voice cried out:

"Come here and free me!"

Terribly startled, the lad looked in the direction the voice came from and saw an enormous dragon, coiled around one of the pillars. Flames of fire were darting from his nostrils.

"I don't dare come near you!" cried Wang Er, who was trembling with fear. "You'll crush or swallow me!"

"I promise you," answered the dragon, "that I will not harm you. I am a prince, son of the mighty king of dragons, who is not a dragon himself, but [illegible]. The bad fairies accused me of stealing the emperor's daughter and turned me into a dragon to punish me. I am glad to this pillar and I am doomed to stay here until some one throws over me a pail of water from the lake."

Wang Er [illegible] the dragon king's son, for well he knew that the fung-shui had carried away the princess. [illegible] shore of the lake, where [illegible] he found a pail and, filling it, he [illegible] the water upon the dragon [illegible] Wang Er, [illegible]

"You must come [illegible]

[illegible]

At [illegible]

[illegible]

"[illegible]"

[illegible] Wang Er [illegible]

[illegible] of the extraordinary [illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible] they were [illegible] wonderful [illegible] leaves of [illegible]

[illegible] prepared [illegible]

[illegible] of [illegible] Wang Er [illegible] moved with great speed, finally reaching a palace built of the pearly lining of shells. As they ascended [illegible] majesty and the court farewell, went down the palace steps leading to an enormous door, it flew open and the prince led Wang Er into a spacious hall hung with marvelous draperies of delicate seaweed thickly strewn with pearls. Seated upon a throne at the further end of the hall was the dragon king surrounded by his courtiers, who, like himself, were sea-fairies.

The king, who had been grieving over his son's disappearance, sprang up in joyful surprise, descended from his throne, and clasped his son in his arms. Then he warmly thanked Wang Er and exclaimed:

"We will have a banquet in your honor!" and led the way to the banquet hall, everybody following him.

In the banquet hall was an enormous table made entirely of shells, and around it were chairs formed from coral branches.

At the king's command all were seated at the table, with Wang Er on the left and the prince on the right of his majesty.

Wang Er was terribly hungry, but, to his chagrin, there was not a thing on the table but a small china teapot.

"Hai yah! Is this a banquet?" thought he.

But just then the king lifted up the teapot and said:

"Spread on this table a magnificent repast." Then he set the teapot on the table. At once its lid flew back and out sprang three liveried servants who set the table with gold and silver dishes that poured out of the teapot. Delicious food appeared in these dishes—rice as white as a snowdrift, all sorts of fish; fruit and nuts and sweets.

Everyone was bountifully served, and the banquet lasted several hours.

Just as the king signalled for all to rise and return to the throne room, there boomed out deafeningly the royal salute. Instantly the servants, dishes and food vanished.

When the king was again seated upon his throne, he said to Wang Er: "What do you desire more than any other thing in the world?"

"To see my mother, your royal highness," answered Wang Er, tears filling his eyes as he thought how troubled and sad she must be because of his long absence.

The king smiled approvingly, saying:

"So you shall, my lad!" and he directed the prince to lead Wang Er home.

Wang Er thanked the king, and, bidding his nce steps. But Wang Er carried with him the magic teapot, presented to him, just as he was leaving the palace, by the king.

Suddenly Wang Er found himself standing in front of his own home. Joyfully he ran into the house where he found his mother weeping.

"Mother! Mother!" he cried, "do not weep. See! here I am, safe and well!"

The mother's tears of sorrow turned to tears of joy; and, after their happy greeting was over, Wang Er related all that had happened. Then he ordered the magic teapot to spread a fine feast for his mother. The three servants covered the rickety table with fine linen and with gold and silver dishes filled with delicious food. Never before had the mother eaten such good things nor seen such wonderful dishes. Even the chopsticks were made of ivory and inlaid with gold.

Wang Er decided that so long as the teapot could give him everything he desired he would not claim the reward offered by the emperor to the rescuer of the princess. So he stayed happily at home and began building a house entirely of gold pieces. He employed a great many workmen, and, as the gold pieces were needed, they fell in shining heaps from the magic teapot.

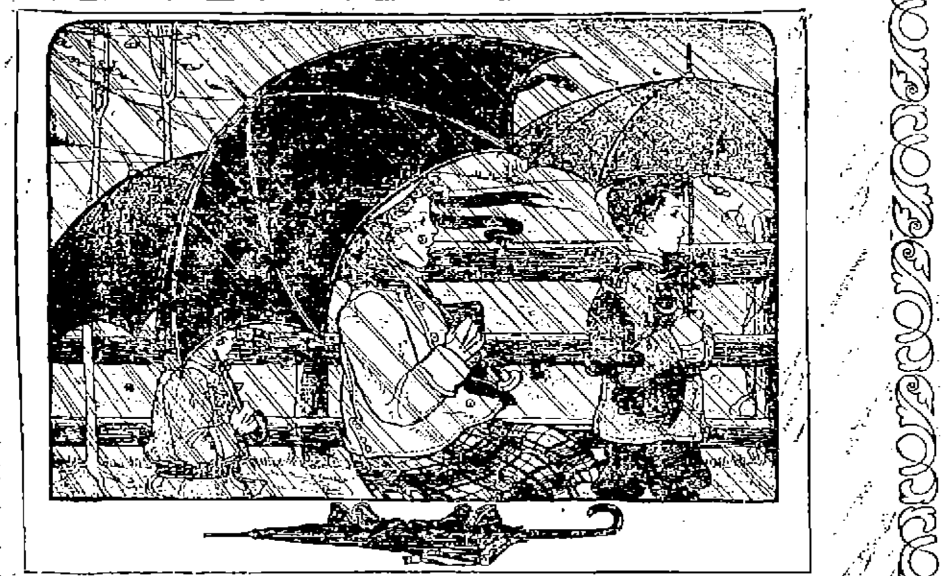
One day, when the house was nearly completed, the false friend passed by. He was filled with amazement when he beheld the golden house with its many turrets from which hung hundreds of golden bells that constantly sent forth exquisite music. He saw Wang Er sitting beneath a tree, holding the precious teapot that was pouring out a stream of gold pieces.

The false friend crept up cautiously and pounced upon Wang Er, trying to snatch from him the teapot; but Wang Er held it firmly until in the struggle it was broken into hundreds of pieces. Then the false friend ran away laughing over poor Wang Er's unhappiness.

With tears in his eyes Wang Er sorrowfully gathered up the pieces of the broken teapot.

As he picked up the last fragment, instantly the pieces fitted themselves together, and there in his hands was the teapot perfectly whole, just as good as ever, without even one tiny crack!

Wang Er commanded the teapot to give him enough gold pieces to finish building his house and enough more to enable him and his mother to live in luxury all their lives. Then he sent the teapot to the emperor. Of course the emperor was delighted [illegible] found out who sent it to [illegible] Wang Er did not care to have the emperor [illegible] he would be obliged to accept from [illegible] the rank of scholar. Wang Er was an [illegible] desired no button of scholarship [illegible] until he had earned it through study.



Umbrellas and Rubbers.

Umbrellas and rubbers
You never forget,
Whenever it's raining
Or snowy or wet.

But if it should clear up,
While you are away,
Please bring them back home
For the next rainy day.

Whispering in School.

"Do not whisper" is a rule
You will find in every school,
And the reason here is given
In a rhyme:
For children all will chatter
About any little matter—
And there'd be a dreadful clatter,
All the time!

WEE LITTLE LADIES

Up in the top of the maple tree,
Hid in the branches where none might see,
Little green ladies, one and two,
Fussed and chattered the long night through!
"Katy broke a pitcher!"
"She didn't!"
"She did!"
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"She didn't!"
"She did!"
Maybe the frog at the fountain brink
Closed his eyes in a wee, wee wink;
Maybe the bird in the cherry-tree
Slept a little, but never we!

Snug and warm in the nursery beds,
Four little pig-tails, two little heads;
Little white ladies, one and two,
Fussed and chattered the whole night through!
"You broke my dollie."
"I didn't!"
"You did!"
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"I didn't!"
"You did!"
Maybe the frog at the fountain brink
Closed his eyes in a wee, wee wink;
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Slept a little, but never we!

By NANCY BYRD TURNER

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My [illegible] that crawl
[illegible]
[illegible]
[illegible]

Well, there, you prowling boy—be done!
[illegible] sorrel, and your crying?
I must believe [illegible] sit and run
[illegible] leaves a-lying
[illegible] the [illegible] place! There!
[illegible] really don't [illegible]
[illegible] pair
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THE MYSTERY

By Johnson Morton.

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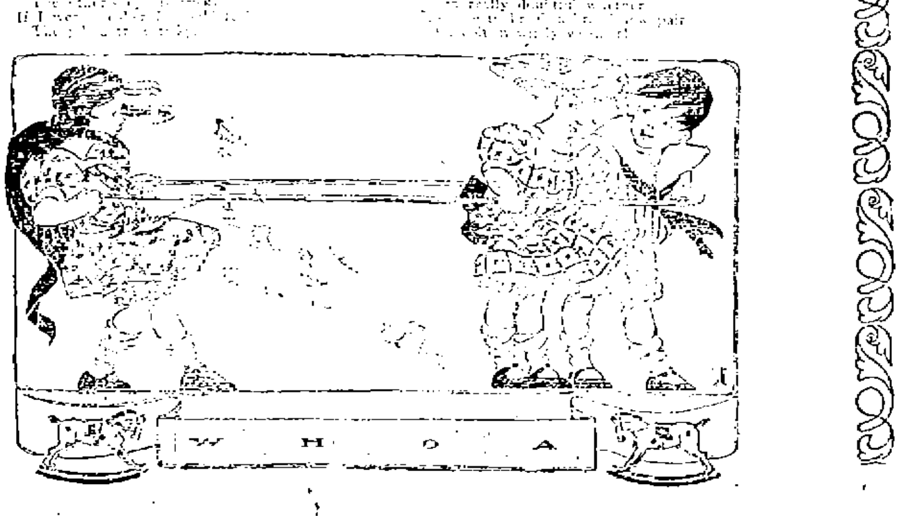


Laughing Matter For Home and Vacation Spots

DIFFERENT FROM '76.

Theirs was the day they rang the bell,
Proclaiming freedom to the world,
But now we sit and sweat and yell
Wherever any ball is twirled.

EVEN WITH THE BOSS.

Head of Firm (to salesman)—That woman will never come back again.

Clerk—Yes, she will.

"How do you know?"

"I told her your day off."

UNSATISFYING.

Husband—Does that novel end happily?

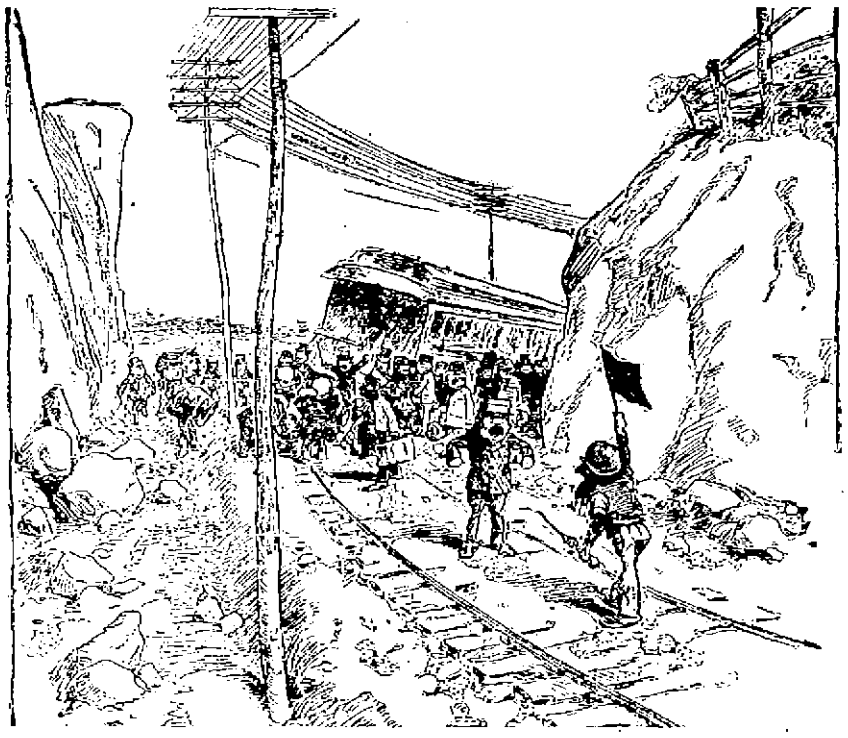
Wife—It just says they were married.

BOARDING HOUSE REPARTEE.

Funny Man—Your chops, Mrs. Hashleigh, are like the spring weather—rather raw.

Mrs. H. (off the hat)—The weather is something like your board bill—unsettled.

TRUE TO HIS COLORS.



Conductor: "Why didn't you have that red flag instead of the green when I sent you down the track? You could have saved this train."

Pat: "For no man will Oi wave a red flag whin Oi have a grass wan!"

SETTIN' UP TO TAKE NOTICE.

Hiram—We hev ter set up 'n hour later nights then we ust ter on 'count ev th' curfew law.

"Why so?"

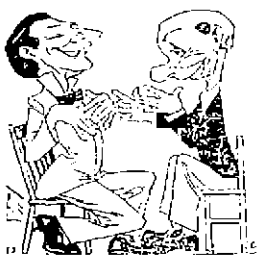
"So's we kin set our clocks by th' bell."

ARTISTS' JEALOUSY.

First Hurdygurdyist—Lumine, 'Orace, don't it make yer heart bleed to hear of that Paddywisky chap gettin' thousands o' pounds for thumpin' o' his pianner?

Second—Not 'arf it don't. An' 'e don't 'ave 'er bloomin' well lug his pianner aboht wiv 'im neither!

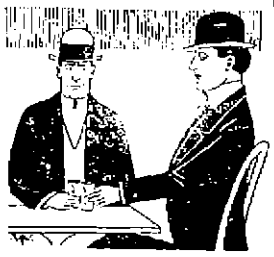
HEREAFTER—IF THE GOLFER HAS HIS WAY.



A DIFFERENCE.

"What's the difference between an olive and a watermelon?"

"One is green without being green within, and the other is green without being green within."



HOME TROUBLES.

Jabs—What's the matter, old man? You look as if you hadn't had any sleep. *Now* I know.

"No; got a daughter old enough to have a beau."

CUTE WOMAN.

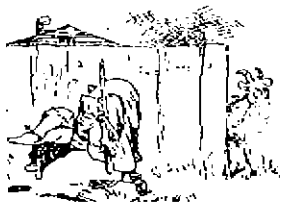
"Mrs. Front knows her business."

"Now what?"

"She contracts with editors to have her society notices go on the sporting page."

A TALE OF TWO BUTTS.

"Well, ef mah luck ain't wif me ter-day! Look at dat cigar butt, an' only half smoked!



"Pickin' up a cigar in dis yer way is nuffin' to a membah ob de brudderhood ob united tumblers."

(The arrival of butt No. 2.) Whiz-bang—! ! !

In possession.

ONE OR THE OTHER.

Mrs. Winks—I notice that Mr. Blinks rarely spends an evening away from home. Isn't that devotion?

Mr. Winks—Either that or his wife has bought him a lot of new ties.

SHADES OF BILL!

Traveling Inspector (to his host, the squire of the village)—Most amusing thing happened today. I was questioning the rives and asked a boy, "Who wrote 'Hamlet?'" and he answered fearfully, "P-p-please, sir, it wasn't me."

Squire (after loud and prolonged laughter)—Ha, ha! That's good, and I suppose the little devil had done it all the time!

THE REST WAS SILENCE.

"Why do they say 'as smart as a steel trap?'" asked *the* talkative lodger. "I never could see anything particularly intellectual about a steel trap." "A steel trap is called smart," explained the elderly person in his sweetest voice, "because it knows exactly the right time to shut up." More might have been said, but in the circumstances it would have seemed unfitting.

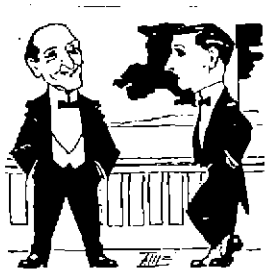
TAB ON HUBBY'S COMPANY.

Husband (whose hospitality was indiscriminate)—Do you remember, dear, whether that scoundrel X was hanged or acquitted?

Wife—He must have been hanged or you would have had him to dinner long ago.

DISTINGUISHED VISITORS.

A wag who does his bit of "globe trotting" tells of two odd entries that he saw in the visitors' book of a fashionable resort on the Rhine. A few years ago one of the Paris members of the Rothschild family had registered as follows: "R. de Paris." It so chanced that the next visitor to inscribe his name in the book was Baron Oppenheim, the banker of Cologne, and he wrote his name beneath Rotheschild's in this wise: "O. de Cologne."



WHEN A WOMAN WILL.

"The Daughters of the Revolution refused to admit Mrs. Wayback."

"Yes, but she's going to start another revolution and then get up a rival society."

LUCKY.

"Gertie tells me that Wellesley proposed to her last night."

"I don't know him. Is he well off?"

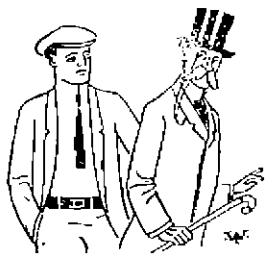
"Yes. She refused him."

SHAKESPEARE ON ASPARAGUS.

Parry Pain is noted for his powers of smart repartee. Some time ago he attended a dinner party where his host had got a Shakespearean quotation for every item on the menu except the asparagus.

Mr. Pain was appealed to for some appropriate lines, and quick as thought he gave the following.

"Off with his head:
So much for sucking 'em!"



A REMINDER.

"You seem to forget what is due to a gentleman."

"To what do you allude?"

"That I yet betrowed a month ago."

FASHION AND FINANCE.

"Checks are to be much worn this season," said Mrs. Watchem.

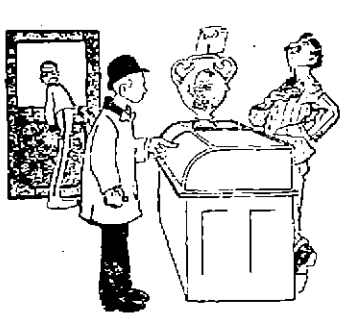
"The checks I give you don't have a chance to be worn," replied her relative.

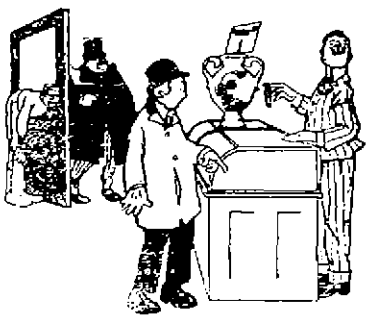
UNCONQUERABLE AVERSION.

C. De Frazzle—What makes Weary Rode all broke up?

Tattre Da Raggle—Went for a'teep in a freight car. W'en he woke found he'd used a soap box for a pillor.

BUYING HER BIRTHDAY PRESENT.





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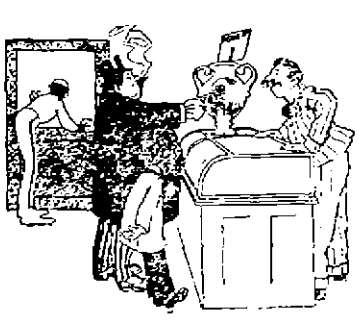

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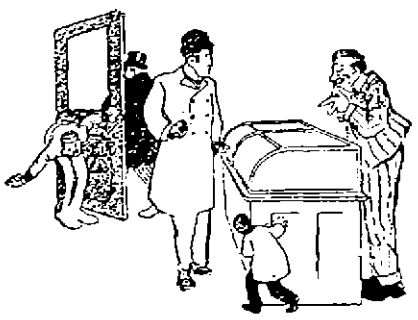

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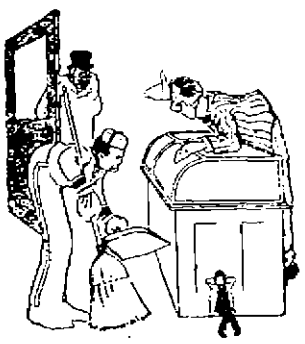

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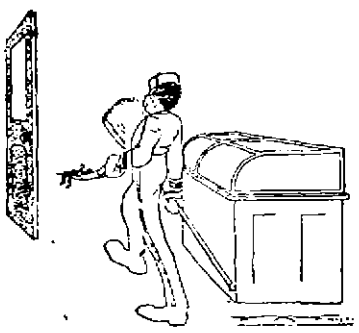

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"SECOND COUSIN ONCE REMOVED."

OH, SHAW!

First Literati—Gosh! Bernard Shaw says he's coming to this country to be insulted!

Second Lit—That won't hurt him as much as being ignored.

WHEN THE CREDITOR CALLED.

Master—Well, say I'm away from home.

John—All right, sir. And I'll just light one of your best cigars. He'll be more likely to believe me then.

MOTHER HAD HEARD THINGS.

Applicant—I hear you want a lady parlor maid.

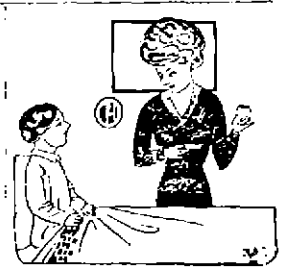
Lady (who has interviewed fifty or sixty)—No, I've given up the idea.

Applicant—To tell you the truth, I don't want to be a lady maid more. Mother didn't think there's much in it.

CONFESSION OF A GHOUL.

"You say that the deceased was a blameless man, beloved and respected. You knew him?"

"No; I got that from his tombstone."



BUB GIVES IT AWAY.

Big Sister—Come, Stanley, do as the doctor wishes. Take your powder as I do.

Little Brother—Then I'll daub it on my face.

FELLOW FEELING.

Wife—And will you promise to water the flowers regularly while I am away?

Husband—Don't you worry about that. I know what thirst is.